

THE WEATHER
Generally fair tonight
and Sunday same
temperature

The La Crosse Tribune

The Tribune goes like
Hot Cakes, Because
It's "Getting Better
All The Time."

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PRICE TWO CENTS

WINNERS OF LAHN CUP MAY HAVE BEEN DASHED TO DEATH IN SENSATIONAL BALLOON RACE

SIGNAL SERVICE BALLOON IS LOST

MCCOY AND CHANDLER HAVE NOT
BEEN HEARD FROM

LAST SEEN AT POINT PLEASANT

Silence of Many Hours Leads to Fear
That Aeronauts Have Perished
in Winning Ascension

CHARLESTON, Oct. 19.—Where is the United States signal corps balloon No. 10, containing Aeronauts J. C. McCoy and Capt. Charles Chandler, of the government service? Has it blown out to sea? Has a fatal accident followed the winning of the Lahn cup?

The landing of the balloon has not been reported, and anxious friends regard as the only hope that the men are safe the possibility that the ship landed in an infrequent spot remote from telegraph and telephone lines. The last heard from the aerial travelers was when the balloon was sighted at Point Pleasant, W. Va., yesterday, moving then in an easterly direction.

The balloon left St. Louis on Oct. 17 at 4:10 p. m., passed Jacksonville, Ill., at 10 p. m., Hillsboro, O., 6 a. m. Oct. 18, Chillicothe 7:15 a. m., Jackson 8 a. m., Gallipolis 9:45 a. m. and Beech Hill, W. Va., at 1 p. m. It next was seen at Point Pleasant, yesterday, and the silence that has followed its disappearance during the many intervening hours is regarded as good ground for apprehension. But a few months ago an English war department balloon drifted out to sea with three officers aboard, and has not been heard of since.

The distance covered, on a straight line measurement, is approximately 500 miles, and the voyage won for the aeronauts the Lahn cup. This is the longest flight in America since Prof. John Wise's aerial journey in 1859.

Wise Ascension Recalled.
St. Louis was the starting point for the sensational balloon voyage made by Prof. Wise, which is still the American record for long distance, and which, until 1900, was the world's record.

Prof. Wise ascended at St. Louis at 6:40 p. m. July 1, 1859. His companions were John La Mountain of Troy, N. Y.; D. A. Gager of Bennington, Vt., and William Hyde of St. Louis. The balloon contained 60,000 cubic feet of gas and carried 900 pounds of ballast.

Prof. Wise's bag was carried north and east by a wind which early the next day became a hurricane. The landing was made in a driving wind at 2:20 p. m., July 2, in the branches of a sycamore tree near Henderson, Jefferson county, N. Y., after the balloon had covered 1,150 miles. The time consumed in traveling this distance was nineteen hours and forty minutes.

A later ascension from St. Louis cost Prof. Wise his life.

Accident Averted.
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 19.—Late yesterday afternoon Oscar Erbesloeh and Hans Heidemann, who will pilot the balloon entered representing Germany in the international contest, made an ascension in the small balloon Psyche. Just as they cleared the ground the balloon traveled straight for a big brick wall. Quickly they cut away sand ballast bags, cleared the wall, and then made directly for a smokestack. Again quick use of knives in cutting away more of the smokestack, but the car struck a guywire, which snapped, and the balloon, lightened of considerable ballast, leaped into space while the crowd of spectators cheered lustily.

After a voyage of two and a half hours the Psyche descended without mishap at Red Bud, Ill., thirty miles southeast of St. Louis.

MANILA SCARED BY BOMB STORY

MANILA, Oct. 19.—Reports that an attempt was made to throw a bomb at Secretary Taft startled the authorities, but a careful investigation has disclosed no foundation for the stories.

The first hint at the alleged attempt was given to the police by a priest, who said the attempt was made while the secretary was attending a reception at the Jesuit college. The superior of the college characterized the priest's story as an invention.

STANDARD WANTS TO CONFESS IT ALL

BUT WANTS THIS "INVESTIGATION" DROPPED AT ONCE

TIE UP STANDARD OFFICERS

That Is What Standard Lawyer Admits Government Is About to Accomplish

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—It is reported that at the close of the hearing yesterday afternoon a Standard Oil lawyer asked the government representative:

"If we will admit that the Standard owns the Manhattan, will you promise to drop this investigation?"

"No."

"Well, if we will admit that we not only own the Manhattan, but several other subsidiary companies, will you stop your probing?"

"No," was again the reply.

Then the Standard lawyer is reported to have remarked: "Well, if you will make no promises it is useless for me to make any admissions. I suppose you will go ahead until you have the officers of the Standard tied up."

At the conclusion of yesterday's hearing, the case was adjourned to Dec. 2.

Trust Owns Manhattan
A star witness yesterday afternoon was A. Brady through whom for the first time was clearly established the connection of the sale of the Manhattan Oil company to the Standard.

Brady admitted that when the Manhattan Oil company was sold, the People's Gas, Light and Coke company of Chicago, received a contract from the Standard Oil company whereby the latter was to furnish the Chicago concern with gas oil at a cost of 1 1/4 cents a gallon for a period of ten years. This price is much less than the cost of production.

Brady admitted that when he and Commodore E. C. Benedict assumed control of the Manhattan Oil company they paid for it \$1,554,000 cash and assumed \$800,000 in outstanding bonds.

Value of Contract.
"And you turned over this property, its 20,000 shares and quick assets, to the General Industrial and Development company of London for \$615,000 in cash and the Standard contract, the London concern assuming the \$800,000 in bonds?" asked Mr. Kellogg.

"Yes, that is right."

"And then you—I mean the stockholder of the People's Gas, Light and Coke company—paid more than \$1,300,000 for that contract, didn't you?"

"We got the contract from the London company," Brady replied.

"I know that, but you turned over a growing concern that cost you \$1,954,000 for \$615,000 and a contract, the contract calling for the Standard Oil company to supply the Chicago company with oil at 1 1/4 cent a gallon for a period of ten years?"

"Yes, we did."

HUGHES NOT OUT FOR G. O. P. NOMINATION

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Governor Charles E. Hughes last night made a declaration of his attitude toward the presidential nomination, when in an address at a dinner given in his honor by the republican club, he said:

"I did not seek any public office. I have not sought, nor shall I seek, directly or indirectly, to influence the selection or the vote of any delegate to any convention, and with reference to the election of any delegate to any convention there will be no suggestion or thought of influence, protest or reprisal in the executive chamber."

It was at this same club that Mr. Hughes announced his acceptance of the gubernatorial nomination.

CHOATE ACTS AT CONVENTION FOR U. S.

THE HAGUE, Oct. 19.—Joseph H. Choate, head of the American delegation to the international peace conference, signed the final act of the conference and the conventions adopted, to all of which he also affixed his own personal seal. The signatures were in alphabetical order, the American coming next after those of Germany (Allemagne).



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JOHN MITCHELL AT HIS DESK.

PRESIDENT MITCHELL, who was recently operated on for appendicitis, will retire as chief executive officer of the United Mine Workers of America when his present term expires. President Mitchell has held his high office since September, 1898.

NORTH LUMBER CO. FAILS IN SOUTH

FOUNDED BY FORMER ONALASKA RESIDENT

ASSETS DOUBLE LIABILITIES

Article in Lumber Journal Tells of Misfortune and Indicates an Early Reorganization

A receiver has been appointed for the J. E. North Lumber company, Bond, Miss., founded by J. E. North, a former employee of the Nichols Lumber company. North left Alaska a few years ago, and from reports received here, friends were informed that the organizer and his company were making rapid strides in the lumber industry of the south and were becoming rich.

Only a few weeks ago it was reported that the company had been sold to St. Louis, Mo., parties for \$3,000,000. At that time no question was raised.

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24 HEROES GET CARNEGIE MEDALS

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 19.—The regular fall meeting of the Carnegie hero commission was held today in the Carnegie Building, and F. H. Wilmot, the secretary, announced that twenty-four persons throughout the country had received awards for bravery.

The number is the largest in the history of the commission. With tonight's awards 126 persons have been benefitted by the hero fund, and 1,121 persons have been refused either money or medals.

For the first time since the beginning of the hero fund, a negro, John B. Hill of Atlanta, Ga., received an award.

The largest award to be made was a gold medal and the sum of \$5,600 given to Andrew J. Hodger, who is county superintendent of schools, made a heroic rescue. Two men, Joseph King and William Nunn, were caught by a cave-in of sand while at the bottom of a deep well at Pierceville, Kan. Nunn was suffocated and King was slowly dying. Notwithstanding the fact that another cave-in seemed sure within a short time, Mr. Hodger was lowered into the well and succeeded in saving King and recovering Nunn's body. The night following the rescue there was another fall of a ton or more of the sand.

The money awarded Mr. Hodger is to be used in educating his four children.

GIRL KNOWN TO FAME MYSTERIOUSLY SHOT

MISS CLARA STEWART, SHORT STORY WRITER, IS DEAD

FAMILY MIXED ON STORY

Police Use Threats to Gain Entrance to House and Find Conflicting Tales

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Mystery surrounds the death of Miss Clara Stewart, the well known writer of short stories, who died today with a bullet in her heart.

The shooting occurred in the home of her father, Tardiness in the reporting of the death led to official action. The police, on their arrival, were refused admittance, and were let in only after repeated threats and a show of force to compel admittance.

The family of Miss Stewart tell conflicting stories of how the shooting occurred. One is that Miss Stewart was cleaning the revolver when it was accidentally discharged, but no clear explanation of how she came to be so engaged was given.

Another story was that she was packing her trunk, and when putting the pistol into it the weapon was discharged.

EDISON TO BUILD HOUSE IN A DAY

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—In greeting the members of the American Electro-Chemical society and showing them through his laboratories and manufacturing plants at Orange, N. J., Thomas A. Edison made these statements:

"Give Marconi ten years and he will be sending over the Atlantic 1,000 words a minute by wireless and will be receiving at the same rate of speed. The only limit to speed in sending now is caused by the absorption of the electric waves by the wire or cable. There is no such absorption in wireless telegraphy."

He then exhibited his plans for building a concrete house in a day.

HE GOES TO TOKIO NEVER TO COME BACK

SEOUL, Oct. 19.—The deposed Emperor of Korea is going to Tokyo to return the visit of the crown prince of Japan to this country, and according to a court rumor he never will come back.

But the man who saws wood and says nothing is not always as wise as he seems.

RIVER FIRST IS MR. ESCH'S IDEA

ST. CROIX OUTFIT UNLIKELY TO GET SUPPORT

WOULD KILL MAIN PROJECT

Local Congressman Believes Channel Is First Thing to Accomplish; Local Delegation Leaves

On Monday evening the La Crosse delegation to the Upper Mississippi River Improvement convention, which will be in session on Tuesday and Wednesday, at Moline, Ill., will leave on the midnight train for that place.

The committee is composed of Aldermen Gus A. Keller, Hirschheimer, and Houska, and they all expect to attend.

Congressman John J. Esch when asked this morning whether he would attend, said that on account of the various business matters which cannot be postponed he will be unable to be present, but added that the commission would not require his presence as they know that he stands in favor of the improvement question.

"Do you think that the deep water canal project between the great lakes and the head of the Mississippi river will receive any attention at this meeting?" the congressman was asked.

"No, I believe not. The object is to get the Mississippi river improvement project cinched first. In asking for all projects at once the appropriation necessary would be too large and would not be given attention, and in arranging for the minor projects such as that of the canal, the main object would be lost."

River First.

"We wish to be sure of the improvement of the river first and the canal project will naturally subsequently follow in its proper course."

The cities along the St. Croix route, about 12 in number, all of which will ask the La Crosse delegates to favor their route, may therefore not expect much attention or receive the endorsement of the La Crosse delegates at this convention.

I. C. COUNT WILL BE FINISHED ON MONDAY

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—Harriman said today that the examination of the Illinois Central proxies will probably be completed Monday night. It is likely he will not be here to witness the vote for he is to be examined in New York Monday in connection with his refusal to answer certain questions of the interstate commission. He will be represented in Chicago by Harahan.

BRUIN IS SAFE, FOR TEDDY BREAKS CAMP

STAMBOUL, Oct. 19.—President Roosevelt's bear hunt ends this evening. He breaks camp tomorrow morning at Bear Lake and goes to Stamboul, where he will be the guest of Leo Shields until Monday forenoon, when he starts for Washington via Vicksburg and Nashville.

"BACK TO THE MINES" SAYS HURT HEINZE RIDGWAY DECLINES

VICTIM OF WALL STREET WILL SEEK OLD GROUNDS

CAN FORCE FIGHT THERE

Proposes to Fight Rodgers With 6-Cent Copper—Ridgely Is Hesitating.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 19.—Comptroller Ridgely declines the presidency of the Mercantile Bank of New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—"Back to the mines," is said to be the plan of F. A. Heinze to rehabilitate himself and wage war against his Wall street enemies.

The reported sale of his stock will yield enough to carry on his western enterprises. One of Heinze's friends said: "Heinze knows he can produce copper at six cents a pound that will drive other concerns out of business."

Before leaving for Washington last night Bank Comptroller Ridgely said the question on the presidency of the Mercantile National bank is still unsettled. Charles Morar, a bank director, declares Ridgely has accepted the office.

Following a meeting of the clearing house this morning it was reported that the clearing house association will extend \$1,100,000 relief to the Mercantile bank. This action is temporary.

The stock market reflected the uncertainty of the financial situation by its irregularity. Coppers fluctuated rapidly.

The Conditions.
Developments since yesterday were as follows:

Bank situation improves with the announcement that the clearing house committee has found the Heinze institution solvent.

All the old directors of the Mercantile National resign.

F. Augustus Heinze is reported to have retailed upon Charles W. Morse for the latter's alleged "treachery" in dumping United Copper on the market. Morse's Consolidated Steamship bonds suffered heavy losses in the sale of \$1,700,000 worth at as low as 17 1/2, a drop of 19 points since last June.

Kenosha Plants Unite Against Union

KENOSHA, Wis., Oct. 19.—It became known today that at a meeting of representatives of every industrial plant in the city last night steps were completed for the formation of a manufacturers' association. The principles of the association as made public practically declare for an open shop in every plant in Kenosha.

The new order will affect 6,500 men, and the plants which have signed the agreement have an annual payroll of more than \$5,000,000.

The announcement of the formation of the association came as a surprise to labor leaders, who declared tonight that within a few weeks there would be 5,000 men striking in the city.

Wife of Writer Mysteriously Gone

POINT PLEASANT, N. J., Oct. 19.—There is some speculation here as to the whereabouts of Mrs. Upton H. Sinclair, wife of the socialist and novelist, author of "The Jungle," and exposer of Chicago packing house secrets.

Her continued absence from the Sinclair cottage at West Point Pleasant has given rise to rumors, one of which is that she may never return here owing to differences with her husband.

Her husband is in New York and it is said by some that the woman may be in a sanitarium.

WOMAN BEGGAR IS DEPORTED TODAY

The police this afternoon sent south on the Milwaukee road a beggar who gave her name as Bessie Phillips and who has been in the city for the past few days.

She accosted strangers and told a "hard-luck" story of her life and experiences which served to bring the shekels.

The graft, however, was "worked" too strong and the police finally apprehended her and sent her out of the city.

WEATHER AND WATER

Weather forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; warmer tonight in southeast portion Sunday.

Minnesota—Generally fair tonight and Sunday; colder Sunday in west portion.

Iowa—Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; warmer in east and south portions tonight.

River Forecast.

The river will remain about stationary during the next 36 hours.

Water stages today:

Place	Stage	Change
St. Paul	4.0	0.0
Red Wing	2.9	0.0
La Crosse	3.9	-0.1
Prairie du Chien	4.5	-0.1
Dubuque	4.0	-0.2
Le Claire	3.4	-0.1
Davenport	4.8	-0.2
Keokuk	4.8	-0.2
St. Louis	10.0	-1.6

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SPORTING NEWS

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS
DEPART FOR SPARTASPARTA TEAM IS HEAVIER THAN
THE LOCALS

EXPECT TRICK PLAYS TO WIN

Snappy Work Did Well Against the
Scrubs and Team Hopes to
Make it Tell Today.

The La Crosse high school football team left this morning for Sparta, where they will meet the Sparta high school eleven in battle royal.

The team is in the best of condition. For the past week the boys have been straining every effort to get into shape for the struggle with Sparta. As to weight the teams are evenly matched, Sparta having probably a shade the heavier team, although the La Crosse boys are playing a fast and snappy game, and their trick plays were always good for gains against the scrubs. The game was called at 2:30 this afternoon to enable some of the rooters to get home this evening. The line-up for the game is as follows:

W. Muelke.—Center.
Keeler.—Right guard.
Brindley.—Left guard.
Stavrum.—Right tackle.
Capt. A. Dahlgren.—Left tackle.
W. Shirley.—Right end.
Dickens.—Left end.
Byrne.—Quarter back.
W. Tourtellotte.—Full back.
A. Larson.—Right half back.
J. Fowler.—Left half back.
Subs.—J. Dahlgren, O. Mueller, H. Larson and Jacobson.

About a hundred rooters left on the noon Milwaukee and Northwestern trains to help the boys to victory.

STRANG MAY BE
TEAM MANAGER

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Sammy Strang has probably played his last game with the Giants. He is one of several bidders for the Birmingham franchise in the Southern league. Sammy is a southern boy and wants to end his baseball days among his people. His father has asked him to take the step he contemplates, and if Strang gets the job of managing the Birmingham team he will buy a block of stock big enough to give him a controlling interest.

BOOKMAKERS REAP
ONE RICH HARVESTTEMPUS FUGIT FAILS TO GET
START AT LEXINGTON

TALENT AT TRACK IS UPSET

Geers' Horse Gets Flag in First Heat
and Getting Way to the Rear
Can't Get the Stride.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 19.—Through the defeat of Tempus Fugit in the first race here the talent was given the hardest blow of the meeting. After scoring several times for first heat the starter let the field go with Tempus Fugit in the rear and in a break as he passed under the wire. Before Geers could get him on his feet the other horses were a quarter of a mile in the lead and he was hopelessly shut out. Florence and St. Peter also caught the flag in the first heat which was full of mishaps.

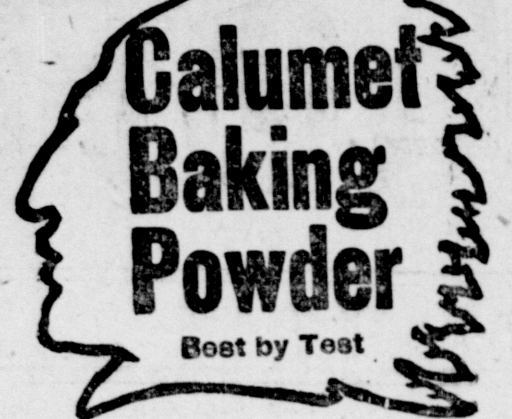
Codero, getting a flying start, trotted away from the field as if he was much the best and won easily. Margaret O. easily took the next three heats. After the second heat the best Codero could do was to trail the field and take second money in the final summary.

Out of ten starters in the second race, for 2:17 pacers five caught the flag in the first and second heats. Major Mallow had no trouble in winning in consecutive heats. Summaries:

First race, the West stake, 2:29 trotting class, purse \$2,000, best three in five:
Margaret O. 3 1 1 1
Codero 1 2 4 4
Tokio 2 4 2 2
Hester Schuyler 4 3 3 2
Tempus Fugit, St. Peter, and Florence started.
Time, 2:09%, 2:11%, 2:13, 2:12%.

Second race, 2:17 class pacing, purse \$1,000, best three in five:
Major Mallow 1 1 1
Arrow 4 2 3
The Dude 5 3 2
Mosie L. 3 4 5
Lottie M., Hal Cassius, Wanda H., Dr. Milson, Dr. Leon, and Edith O. started.
Time, 2:07%, 2:09%, 2:11.

Third race, 2:18 class trotting, purse \$1,000, best three in five:
Leon 2 1 1

Health—
Economy

Lottie M. 1 4 7 6
May K. 7 2 2 5
Margorie 3 7 3 2
Dodge, Idora, Composer, Dan K., and Helen Gould started.
Time, 2:10%, 2:20, 2:10%, 2:10.

NEARY TO FIGHT
DUTCHMAN IN WEST

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 19.—Charlie Neary is going to try his luck in the west again. The rugged Dutchman has been offered a match with Peter Sullivan, the eastern fighter, by a club in Salt Lake City, and if a difference of three hours in weighing in time can be satisfactorily adjusted, he will soon shake the dust of Milwaukee from his feet.

The offer calls for a ten round battle at 133 pounds at 6 o'clock, or at catch weights. Neary is willing to fight if the weighing time is changed to 3 o'clock. The difference is so slight, however, that little trouble is expected in coming to an agreement.

FOOTBALL GAMES.

Football games for today:
Lawrence vs. Hamline, St. Paul.
Beloit vs. Ripon, Beloit.
Lake Forest vs. Northwestern, Watertown.
Harvard vs. Annapolis, Annapolis.
Yale vs. West Point, West Point.
Minnesota vs. Nebraska, Minneapolis.
Chicago vs. Illinois, Champaign.

His Dear Old Mother.

"My dear old mother, who is now eighty-three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by O. T. Erhart, druggist, 50c.

The lofty work often fails to the lowly in spirit.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE
ON THE GRIDIRONHIGH SCHOOL BOYS GO TO SPAR-
TA AT NOON.

EXPECT TO NOSE OUT VICTORY

Wisconsin Squad Will Battle Today
on Camp Randall Field With
the Freshmen Scrubs.

LOCAL.
La Crosse High school vs. Sparta High school, at Sparta.
STATE.

West Division vs. Racine High in Racine.
East Division vs. Racine college in Racine.

Marquette academy vs. Lake Forest academy in Lake Forest.
Physicians and Surgeons vs. Carroll, in Waukesha.

Appleton vs. Fond du Lac in Appleton.
Lawrence II. vs. St. Johns in Delafield.

WEST.
Wisconsin vs. Freshmen in Madison.

Ripon vs. Beloit in Beloit.
Lake Forest vs. Northwestern in Watertown.

Lawrence vs. Hamline in St. Paul.
Chicago vs. Illinois in Champaign.
Michigan vs. Indiana in Indianaapolis.

Nebraska vs. Minnesota in Minneapolis.
Oberlin vs. Case in Oberlin.

Mich. Aggies vs. Notre Dame in Lansing.
Wabash vs. De Pauw in Greencastle.

Missouri vs. Iowa in Iowa City.
Monmouth vs. Lombard in Galesburg.

Ohio vs. Wooster in Columbus.
Kansas vs. Oklahoma in Oklahoma City.

Colorado vs. Colorado Aggies in Boulder.

Pennsylvania vs. Brown in Philadelphia.
Lafayette vs. Brown in Philadelphia.

Lafayette vs. Fordham in Easton.
Swarthmore vs. George Washington in Philadelphia.

Syracuse vs. Williams in Syracuse.
Yale vs. Army in West Point.

Indians vs. Bucknell in Carlisle.
Haverford vs. New York university in Haverford.

North Carolina vs. W. and M. in Chapel Hill.
Princeton vs. Washington and Jefferson in Princeton.

Harvard vs. Navy in Annapolis.
Cornell vs. Penn State in Ithaca.

Stevens vs. Johns Hopkins in New York.

Amherst vs. Trinity in Amherst.
Lehigh vs. Medico-Chicago in South Bethlehem.

Ursinus vs. Dickinson in Collegeville.
Baltimore vs. Maryland in Baltimore.

Wesleyan vs. Tuft in Middletown.
Dartmouth vs. Maine in Portland.

DOESN'T THINK HAGUE CON-
FERENCE A FAILURE.

(New York Tribune.)
We are very far from conceding that the congress is or is not to be a failure. It is a great thing to get practically all the nations of the world together in peaceful council. This is the first time in history that has been done—for in the former congress at The Hague only two American nations were represented. It is a great thing to have the once despised and rejected states of Latin America recognized as equal sovereignities, and also recognized—some of them—as the peers of any in the world in both intellect and morals. A few years ago European statesmen and publicists were habitually speaking of the South American states as barbarous affairs, which would doubtless be "rushed" and annexed by European powers at some not distant time. Now European statesmen are confessing that they have something to learn in diplomacy and in constructive statesmanship from those very states. We think the whole attitude of Europe toward the American continents will be changed, and changed in an eminently desirable direction, because of this congress at The Hague.

Beyond a Doubt.

The right man in the right place.

—New York American.

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OFFICIAL SCHEDULE
OF WHEELING EVENTS

October 19, Algonquin, Ill.—Chicago Motorcycle club's annual hill climbing contest; open.

October 20, Valley Stream, N. Y.—New York division C. R. C. A.'s 10-mile championship and 5-mile handicap; association members.

October 20, Newark, N. J.—Bay View Wheelmen's annual hare and hounds chase.

October 26, Milwaukee, Wis.—Milwaukee Motorcycle club's track meet; open.

October 27, Bedford Rest, Brooklyn, N. Y.—New York division C. R. C. A.'s annual 100 mile record run; open.

October 27, Salinas, Cal.—Fifty-mile match for relay championship of the Pacific coast, between Bay City and Garden City wheelmen. Ten men teams, each to ride five miles.

November 2-9, New York city—Automobile and Motorcycle show in Madison Square Garden.

November 11-16, Boston, Mass.—Six-day professional bicycle races.

December 9-14, New York city, N. Y.—Fifteenth annual international six days' professional bicycle race at Madison Square Garden.

Indoor Racing at Frisco.

A three months' season of indoor bicycle racing on a regulation banked track will, it is expected, shortly be inaugurated at San Francisco's Pavilion. It is the intention of the cycling enthusiasts to devote two nights a week, Tuesdays and Friday, to the sport. It is reported that several of the Salt Lake cracks and fully a score of the fastest riders about San Francisco have already been signed.

Road Racing Licenses.

Licenses have been issued by the National Cycling association, to the following riders, for road racing only: J. Nash McCrea, Springfield, Ill.; Charles De Salvo, Andrew Carradino, Patrick Donato, Ernest Hugin, George Thoreakos, William Schaefer, Sylvain Segal, John Everett Fee, Louis Heydet, New York City; Samuel Struber, Daniel Gordon, S. J. Reilly, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Maurice Metzger, Michael Majestic, John Miller, William Ackerman, John Hock, Long Island City.

Milwaukee Meeting.

The Milwaukee Motorcycle club proposes to make its meet on Oct. 26th, an event long to remembered in cycling circles, and several features on the card will be unusual. Among other events, the five mile national championship will probably be included in the program, and also the first team race of 50 miles for the Beets Shield.

Critic—"All he does is to come on in the third act and get away with a plate of spaghetti. I thought you said he gave a neat performance." Manager—"You misunderstood me. I said an eat performance."

ANOTHER POINTER FOR THE
TRIBUNE'S CONTESTANTSTHE "MAN BEHIND THE COUNTER" SAYS YOU
MUST WORK.

Yesterday, in this column, we told the Tribune's fair contestants about how good they were going to feel when the congratulations were coming in and there will be twenty-six winners in line for congratulation on their good work and their estimable standing in their various communities.

Now, right here, we will not admit that there is any one contestant that will not be in line, as even those who are well down in the list may at any time "hoo up serenely" and show her sprinting powers; it all depends upon the hustle they make between this time and the final count.

A great deal may be done in these few days by any candidate with good health and the will to back up her energies in her desire to win one of the twenty-six prizes.

Any one of the three district prizes are well worthy any effort you make to get them; jewelry—the delight of every feminine heart; a scholarship, the basis of an eminently successful career in life, so easily obtained by so little effort, but so evanescent in aspect when you have to pile up the dollars one by one.

Why not try again—you who entered the lists along in the beginning with bright hopes and have since dropped out, or are waiting by the wayside; why do you not realize the possibilities in the contest and jump in at this stage of the conflict and win one of these prizes. Give a little more time, a little more perseverance, sticktoitiveness is the word, homely but effective, and get out among your friends, your acquaintances, even among the other fellows' acquaintances—if you don't know them, get to know them! A little mix won't matter—a contest is in its nature "a mix up" if it is at all spirited and we want it to be spirited. We want you to show signs of life this is a battle of wits as well as of ballots and we hold the fair readers of the Tribune as intellectually competent to cope with this problem of getting something for nothing as any bunch of American Beauties that could be found between Canada and the Gulf.

A great deal of misunderstanding and disappointment will be obviated, if the candidates when sending in their ballots for publication, will get them into the office by noon of the day preceding the appearance of the list.

Only two more publications of the standing of the candidates will appear in this paper before the final count, so it behooves every contestant to gather every available vote to register in the next count.

Your friends will then realize that you are a stayer and must be supported at all hazards.

Get them to rally around your standard and all pull together; only a week left, but a great deal may be accomplished in a week if you set about it with the determination to win, and win you must.

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Address

Contest District No.

This coupon when neatly clipped out, name, address and district number properly filled in and brought or sent to contest department of THE TRIBUNE, La Crosse, Wis., will count as ONE vote.

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"The secret of success is constancy to purpose." The thoughtful gentleman from whom we quote gives here in this concise language why

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FRANK H. BURGESS.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirtieth day of September, 1907.
A. E. BLECKMAN,
Notary Public.

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THE RESTLESS CORRESPONDENT.

"Roosevelt bagged a bear. There was great joy in camp."

O Joy! O fiddlesticks! It does sometimes look like as how the president of the United States had a bad case of belfry inflatilis. The way the news dispatches handled the effusions that came from the picturesque (in print) canebrakes is enough to justify a dose of mental pepsin.

No doubt a bear will be bagged the first day, as they are plenty. First day—no bear. Too much noise pitching camp. Second day—no bear. Heavy fog. Third day—no bear. Dogs young and green. Steenth day—one bear. Great joy. "Dies quidecim supplicatio decreta est."

What ostentation! What egotism! What trash! What a chance for Dr. Long to avenge himself for that Mrs. Caudle lecture about "nature fakers!"

Seems so don't it? But if we will be fair, and think, there's nothing to it. The president in seeking this recreation has so isolated himself from the world that at least two things have happened which he might have, and probably would have, prevented had he been within the range of human events. It is the cry for "copy" from the newspapers, the journalistic avidity for headlines. The busy correspondent does it, and Roosevelt, poor man, cannot help it. One might as fairly blame the bear.

HIS PROFESSIONAL MEMORY.

William G. Rockefeller, a nephew of the celebrated and thrifty "John D.," and also secretary, treasurer and various other things of the various Standard Oil constituent companies, was on the witness stand yesterday and proved as enthusiastically forgetful of things a man in his position should have known as have any of his predecessors who have been placed under the searchlight of the law.

Young Willie says he paid to an English company, of the ownership of which by Standard Oil he had no knowledge, two and a half million dollars simply because this company "ordered his company to pay it." One wonders whether these rich

men tell palpable lies in the hope that courts and juries are conveniently stupid, or simply as a matter of habit. A clean breast of it would be more apt to get them off easily than will prevarication that is an insult to the intelligence of those who listen and judge.

FISH SHOULD WIN.

Fine yarn that about the pot and the kettle. One thinks of it when reading the daily incriminations and recriminations of Harriman and Fish in their well advertised if not dignified "scrap" for the control of the Illinois Central.

Fish says Harriman is using this great road merely as a feeder for his other trunk lines, and is thereby making it part of a traffic trust, to the detriment of its stockholders. Harriman replies that Fish "borrowed" a million dollars from the road on insufficient security to which he himself affixed the official O. K.

Both probably tell the truth. Fish, however, repaid his possibly questionable loan, while Harriman is still intent on robbing the public. On the whole, a victory for Fish would be as desirable as it is improbable.

A POET ON RACE ROWS.

The tendency to attribute impracticability to poets makes it difficult to take Rudyard Kipling's suggested solution of the Oriental cheap labor problems seriously, but a student of his works must admit that in those of his poems that are comprehensible there is more truth than poetry.

"Pump European immigrants into the Pacific coast regions," says Kipling. The demand for labor is there, and if white labor cannot be had, yellow labor will get the job.

There is reason in this. Out west the Chinaman is the hired girl. Indeed, he may bring the final solution of the domestic servant problem for the entire country, and he certainly does shine in the kitchen. Unless some other relief from this domestic demand comes, it may not be unprofitable to give the Chinese the "washe-washe" job. But with the strength there is in the labor unions, and with plenty of whites to do the work, he would find it hard sledding to wealth in competition with Caucasian workmen.

"CRISIS?" YES? NO?

Carnegie says there will be a "financial crisis." Harriman says there will not. As it is all about money, these two men who have so much of it should be authority.

Carnegie has made his money, and has given lots of it away. He is almost out of it, and need not fear to tell the truth. Harriman is still seeking to make money, and might have a selfish interest in "boosting" conditions.

Carnegie says there will be a "financial crisis," and that it may do good by discouraging wildcat plunging. We believe he is right, in a way. The crisis has already come to Heinze. It has come to others who have provoked the wrath of Dame Fortune by the audacity of their financial "monkey-work." There will be a crisis for Harriman, if he continues to tempt the temper of the public by flouting the laws.

But there will be no "financial crisis" for those who hew and barter and haul in the ordinary old honest ways.

MILWAUKEE ASSESSMENTS.

Regarding the complaint that there is something fictitious, affecting taxes, in the fact that property appraisals in La Crosse show an increase of nearly a million dollars in property values here, another comparison may be of interest.

The report of the state tax commission shows that the property in the city of Milwaukee has advanced in value 14 millions during the year. Here is the tabulation:

La Crosse—population 30,000—Increase in property assessment, \$1,000,000.

Milwaukee—population 300,000—Increase in property assessment, \$14,000,000.

Milwaukee, it will be seen, has about ten times as many people as La Crosse, and were its increase in

MEN OF NOTE



Theodore A. Bingham

Theodore Alfred Bingham, who is prominent as the reforming police commissioner of New York city is a retired army officer with a fine record. He was born in Tolland county, Conn., on May 14th, 1858. He early evinced a desire for a military career and was graduated from West Point in 1879. He was made an military attaché at Berlin in 1900 and stayed there for two years when he was transferred to Rome for two more years. He was retired with the rank of Brigadier General in 1904.

property values proportionately conservative, it would have shown an advance of but \$10,000,000, instead of one of \$14,000,000.

So the La Crosse assessors have been less "aggressive"—which means attentive to duty—than have those who have "jumped" property higher and who have not been adversely criticised for doing their duty.

It is understood that George Kingsley has decided to ask the legislature to legalize seining and forbid pole fishing. He got the idea when he saw the catch that came from the Toeller houseboat.

One wonders that the appearance of that government balloon in Ohio didn't give rise to rumors that Taft had returned.

It wasn't the Heinze of pickle fame, even if he was handed a lemon.

If Harriman gets all that I. C. stock, there will be one Fish out of water.

FASHION HINTS

(By May Manton.)



5806 Doll's Jumper Costume, 18, 22 and 26 inches long.

Consisting of Skirt, Jumper and Gimpie.

Every normal little girl likes to see her dollies well dressed and daughters of wise mammas are apt to make the garments themselves. Here is a dainty yet simple little dress that will not strain the powers of even the beginner in needlework while it is smart and altogether attractive. The jumper waist is of the newest sort with narrow Mandarin sleeves, and the plaited skirts is just like the favorite one of the real, live school girls. In this case the frock is made of cashmere, in one of pretty rose colors that are so fashionable, and the gimpie of embroidered Swiss muslin but there are as many materials appropriate for dolly as for her live prototype. Chailis, henrietta cloth, albatross, voile, taffeta for the entire frocks, serge, chiffon broadcloth and the like for the heavier skirts with gimpies of silk in matching color, offer a wide range of choice. The gimpie is appropriate for all lingerie materials and for thin silk and countless suggestions as to treatment might be made. Plaids in bright colors with bias bands or velvet ribbon as trimming would be very pretty, plain color with plaid bands is smart and waist and skirt can be trimmed as illustrated or to match as liked.

The pattern 5806 is cut in sizes for dolls of 18, 22 and 26 inches long, and will be mailed to any address by the Fashion Department of this paper on receipt of ten cents. (If in haste send an additional two cent stamp for letter postage which insures more prompt delivery.)

JUST LIFE



The Old Story.
Mary had a little lamb,
Who used to like his beer,
But since he's been with Mary,
He has cut it out—how queer!

A Substitute.

We promised
Yesterday we'd write
Some verse
Most every day;
So we'll keep it,
But we simply
Want to say
That writing verse
When one feels "off"
Is worse
Than sawing wood,
And sawing—
Well, we wouldn't,
And we couldn't
If we would.
Verse to be
Of merit should
Be kind of soft and sweet,
And pictures we
Put in it should
Be good enough to eat;
But we have got
A cold today,
In fact we feel like sin,
And so we cut
The poem out,
And put this make-shift in.

Liquor makes the talk grow stronger.

Harvest Days.

(Dedicated to "Heinie.")
Hark! the happy plumbler is out
beating on the pipe,
He likes the whistle of the autumn
breeze;
'Tis the season when his harvest is
beginning to get ripe,
For soon the gas and water pipes
will freeze.

Now "naval experts" employed in the city newspapers, have it that Japan will seize Alaska.

Still "Spry."

It is to be presumed that the farmer who inserted this advertisement in the *Fennimore (Wis.) Times* is still "spry."

"WANTED—The undersigned, a resident of the town of Marion, is anxious to enter into a matrimonial alliance with any woman from 18 to 30 years of age. All women must furnish best of references. All unmarried ladies or widows owning 80 or more acres of land, or possessing a substantial income, need not send photographs, but all others must. Parties must be high-lived. All correspondence will be regarded as confidential. George Stein."

—W. V. K.

OF HUMAN INTEREST

"Children are the rarest things." I heard a lady say one day and I think that covers the ground pretty well.

And aren't children past masters in the art of refined cruelty, especially toward each other? They seem to ferret out one another's choicest secrets and to be utterly unabashed in the laying of them bare to the gaze and hearing of the multitude. Of course as we get older we learn to keep our secret thoughts to ourselves and to cover many shortcomings with at least an outward show of politeness and kindness.

And when you stop to think of it, it is truly the greatest kindness to sometimes appear to be what we are not. Do any of us like plain unvarnished statements, flung straight at us without any softening, even if they are true? I heard a woman remark once, "Well, I always say just exactly what I think and I don't go behind folks' backs to tell them just what I think of them." There are some folks like this, and they are always feared to a certain extent, seldom loved and often avoided.

This is in a great measure the child's way—the inability to use any diplomacy—and from child to child probably does not contain as much sting as when resorted to by older people.

Mothers are almost helpless before this phase of child-life. The other day going past the school grounds I heard three or four little boys planning a game and perceiving a little fellow of the outskirts, just as they were ready to begin they ousted him bodily with "Aw, you can't play with us, your folks are poor." Away he turned to hunt up some other who perhaps would let him join in.

Then if a child has any physical defects or deformities how quickly he will be told of it and the nicknames given in school days stick forever—"Red," "sorrel-top," "ginger-snap," "bow-legs," "fatty" and dozens of such appellations which are nearly always very appropriate. Children will invariably hunt out each other's weaknesses, but if they can only be taught to sympathize and be sorry for any who are not so fortunate as themselves, half the battle is won, for in nearly every case beneath the taunting exterior of these young urchins lie warm loyal little hearts that will respond to another's tale of woe if properly presented.

MARY ANN.

THE GIANT'S STRENGTH

BY BASIL KING

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"You would if you'd been struck by lightning," he returned, with a sharpness of tone that surprised her. "You would if you'd been crippled and blinded and left all but dead. The bright spring morning would bring a rather belated cheerfulness then."

"I didn't mean that," she began, apologetically.

"No, Lady Alice; but I have to mean it. I can't shut my eyes to the fact that the two lives nearest mine are blasted beyond all hope. The curious thing is that the power that did it should have come right under my hand. Can't you see that when I look at that"—he nodded in the direction of his mother's chair—"when I look at Marah, the temptation to strike back should be almost irresistible?"

"I can understand that easily enough. The instinct is as primitive as mother's love. But in this sophisticated age of the world's history most people think that, after defeat, reconstruction is wiser than revenge."

"Ah, yes," he laughed, with a curious glitter in the eyes, "but in my case revenge would take the form of what you call reconstruction."

"I see."

"You see some of it—not all." "The revenge of Romeo on the Capulets. I presume the motive would be Romeo's as well as—all the rest of it."

"One has a right to presume anything on a subject that is no more than the baseless fabric of a vision."

"As yet."

He made no response.

"As yet," she insisted.

"As yet, if you like," he smiled.

"Ah, well, I've no more time to talk of it," she sighed, picking up her gloves from a small table. "I must be off. I suppose you know," she continued, glancing up at him sideways, "that there'd be a fight. The doors wouldn't be flung open to you, for instance, to my brother Ludovic."

Winship shrugged his shoulders and said nothing.

"And so, in the end, you might fail."

"I couldn't fail," he answered, quickly, "not now. However it turned out, the victory would be mine—now. In the one case, Paul Trafford would carry a wound in his side; in the other he'd get it in the heart."

Lady Alice paused, with her glove half drawn on, and regarded him. "Hump!" she sniffed at last. "I believe you Winships are Corsicans, after all—you and Marah, too."

CHAPTER X.

At the Pavillon d'Armenoville, in Bois de Boulogne, it was the third hour of the afternoon—all the more crowded because the day was one of those in early spring when it seems a rare pleasure to sit out-of-doors, under the foliage still too tender to keep off the grateful warmth of the sun. In the long gallery, and beneath the trees, there was such a movement of going and coming, such a rustle of silks and satins, such a hum of talk and laughter, such a calling of greetings and "arewells," such a tinkle of cups and glasses, that two ladies seated by themselves could be intimately alone. Lady Alice had foreseen this when she invited Paula to tea with her.

At the table nearest them, a young actress of the Comedie was entertaining a party of friends; beyond them, a couple of clean-shaven American lads were having a Scotch-and-soda; farther off, a group of English people, on their way from the Riviera, were taking tea; the Italians at another table, and the South Americans at still another, were regaling themselves with pink and pea-green drinks and ices. Up to the main door there was a long, double procession of carriages, motor-cars, and cabs. Livered chauffeurs ran to and fro, to welcome the arriving, and speed the departing, guest. Swans were floating on the lake in the foreground, and a faint, sweet perfume came up from the beds of hyacinths on its banks. Overhead, birds were flitting and chirping. In the ardor of building their nests, while above and through and beneath all other sounds came the wild twanging, clanging, heart-breaking music of the Hungarian Tziganes.

Neither of the two women paid direct attention to these things; they only submitted unconsciously to the influence of what is a little out of the common. The glamour of the sunshine, the strains of the gypsy air, the subtle sense of the romantic, the diffuse itself in any rich, leasured, cosmopolitan crowd, made it possible, for Paula at least, to speak as she could not have spoken without the stimulus and support of an accompaniment.

"Yes, Ludovic will be back again in a few weeks," Lady Alice sighed, as she put down her cup. "Poor boy, I hope the trip will have done him good."

"I'm sure I hope so," Paula murmured, politely.

"He sails from Cape Town tomorrow. That'll make it about three months altogether since he left Monte Carlo."

"About that, I think," Paula murmured again, trying to look anywhere but at her hostess.

"Of course," Lady Alice ventured, boldly, "I never asked him what took place between you. I wouldn't. I think one can never be too delicate about matters of that sort. But, naturally, one has one's surmises, don't they?"

Paula admitted as much as that.

"I knew you'd say so," Lady Alice pursued, as though relieved by Paula's assent. "One has their surmises, and they can't help it. But I never talk about such things. What-

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STUDY THE LABEL

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

Haunted.

A statesman spread a banquet once,
The caterer, an arrant dunce,
Put cocktails in the bill,
And now, where'er that statesman goes,
Those cocktails haunt him still.

Friends told him this insidious drink
Would lure his guests to ruin's brink,
That it was Satan's will,
'Twas then that they began to haunt
Till now he's pale and worn and gaunt,
And cocktails haunt him still.

He sought to square himself by speech,
The water wagon gave a screech
That caused his nerves to thrill;
In vain he sought a distant state,
For there, 'tis grievous to relate,
Those cocktails haunt him still.

He saw a girl fall from her boat;
And—didn't you?
And save her from the spill;
But sadly smiled at all acclaim:
Alas, what's bravery, what's fame,
When cocktails haunt him still?
—Philadelphia Ledger.

Great Talkers.

"But, to my mind," said the clerical tourist from the east, "a plurality of wives is unspeakable."
"Huh!" snorted the good natured Mormon. "I never even heard of one wife that was unspeakable."—Philadelphia Press.

Might Make a Hit.

The Manager—I've got a new idea for a melodrama that ought to make a hit.
The Writer—What is it?
The Manager—The idea is to introduce a cyclone in the first act that will kill all the actors.—Harper's Weekly.

The All-Absorbing Problem.

"Newton discovered why the apple fell down, did he not?"
"He did."
"Well, then, it remains for some equally brilliant mind to discover why it is that plums fall to those higher up."—London Tribune.

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WATER POWER COMPANY AFTER FIFTY YEAR RIGHT

TRACTION LINE WANTED TOO

New Company Would Get Right to Run Interurban Through Neighboring City to Winona

The La Crosse Water Power company, and the La Crosse & Winona Traction companies have applied in Onalaska for fifty year franchises to furnish light and power and to run an interurban line through the streets of the city.

One is described as "An ordinance authorizing the La Crosse Water Power company of La Crosse, Wisconsin, its successors or assigns, to complete, maintain and operate an electric light and power plant in the

city of Onalaska, Wisconsin, and to vend electricity to the city of Onalaska and its inhabitants, and to persons living in the vicinity thereof."

The other is "An ordinance to authorize the La Crosse and Winona Traction company, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain and operate street and interurban railways in the city of Onalaska, Wisconsin.

The ordinances are now being advertised according to law.

NORTH SIDERS ATTEND GAME

A large number of North Side young people left on the noon train today for Sparta where they will attend the football game between the La Crosse high school and the Sparta team. Both teams are fast and a good game is expected.

RETURN FROM A PARTY AT DUBUQUE

A number of North Side women have returned from Dubuque where they attended a party given there in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Fox of Dubuque. Those in the party were the Mesdames C. Schaffer, J. Brewer, C. Pierce, E. Merrill, J. Schweigert.

Many a man who gives up a dollar to the church on Sunday expects the Lord to give him back \$10 the next day.

FIFTH WARD PLAYS ONALASKA TODAY

FAST GAME NEAR SUMMIT STOVE WORKS

SEEK FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS

Defeat of the Tenth Ward Team Has Put Them in Line for High Honors

The Fifth Ward football team will meet the second Onalaska High school team this afternoon at the grounds near the Summit stove works.

The Fifth Ward team is considered one of the fastest in this section and their recent defeat of the Tenth Ward gave to them the championship of the north side and they will do everything this afternoon to try and score against Onalaska.

The Onalaska team is by no means slow and will no doubt put up a fast game. The games put up by the Fifth Wards are witnessed every Saturday by a large number of North side enthusiasts, and the game this afternoon will be no exception. Last night the team received nothing but good fast signal practice and they will go into the game today with the firm determination to win.

FIVE MEN GET BRAKEMEN POSTS

On account of the increasing business on the Burlington road a number of new brakemen have been employed. Just recently four men were raised to conductors.

Five new brakemen were put on the board yesterday.

ILLINOIS PASTOR WILL BE HERE TOMORROW

On account of the North Presbyterian pulpit being vacant through the leaving of Mr. Turner, the former pastor, the pulpit will be filled tomorrow both morning and evening by Rev. A. A. Randall of Princeville, Ill. He is the guest while in the city of Mr. and Mrs. Al. Foster of 1603 Charles street.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Henry A. Davis, drug clerk at the H. L. Partridge drug store, has gone to Madison, Wis., where he will visit with friends for a few days.

A. E. Duffy, superintendent of the steam shovel at Galesburg, is in the city for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

At the home of Mrs. A. Chubb, 1447 Wood street, the second dollar social given by the ladies of the Tabernacle Baptist church was held Tuesday evening. The guests were entertained with a musical program after which refreshments were served.

Frank Faller, who has been employed for the last few years at the drug store of John Brakke, has left for Bangor, Wis., where he has accepted a position as clerk in the drug store of Gus Gredinger.

Next Tuesday evening, Oct. 22, a social entertainment will be given in the parlors at the Bethel Lutheran church on George street. The entertainment program will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. The congregation will also have the opportunity of viewing the new parsonage which has been recently completed.

George Oeljedier has returned from South Dakota, where he has been attending the funeral of his little grandchild.

Tom Harlan, a motorman in the employ of the City Railway company, has resigned his position with that company and has accepted one as switchman for the "Q."

Mrs. Smart and sister of Mill street left yesterday for Antigo, where they will visit Mrs. Smart's mother, who is seriously ill at that place.

Arthur Schultze left the North side to day for Winona, where he will spend some time on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Storey have returned for a visit in La Crosse after a short stay with friends and relatives in Chicago. They will remain here some time before returning to their home in Oregon.

Warren Smith who has been the guest of relatives and friends on the North side for some time, has returned to Fargo, N. D., where he is

employed by the Northern Pacific.

The young ladies of the German Lutheran church on Avon street are holding a bazaar in the basement of the church. The public is cordially invited by the young ladies in charge to attend the affair.

Rev. A. L. Woods who has been ill at his home on Caledonia street for some time, is able to be about and his complete recovery is expected soon.

Mrs. William Blunchett, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Council Bluffs, Ia., has returned to her home on the North side.

Frank P. Gesler of Bangor is in La Crosse on business. Mr. Gesler recently sold his interests in the Bangor Independent and will leave soon for the west.

Local railroad men have brought to this city the news that the much talked of strike of the boiler makers in the shops at Dubuque failed to materialize and the men are all at their places.

Mrs. Charles James, 1131 Avon street, leaves for Milwaukee and Chicago to spend a few weeks with friends and relatives.

Y. M. C. A. NIGHT SCHOOL TO OPEN

On November 1, the Y. M. C. A. night school will open for the season and from present indications the school will be even a greater success than in former years.

There are many advantages in being connected with the association night school. Some of the most pronounced are:

First: The teachers are experts in the subjects they teach, and know the needs of the students.

Second: The personal touch of the teacher is of the utmost value. So many young men fail when they strike the hard spots. It is right here that a little personal help from the instructor means success and victory. There is no waiting, it is right at hand.

Third: There is also the inspiration to be had from mixing with other students of like ambitions. Study is made easy and pleasant when there are others to go ahead with you.

Fourth: The subjects are practical and of immediate value.

Fifth: The tuition fees are so low that no young man who wants to study is denied the privilege.

Sixth: The examinations are under the direction of some of the greatest educators of the country, and the certificates are accepted in upwards of two hundred of the leading colleges of America.

This course of study has been especially arranged for young men who have not had the advantages of a common school education.

The special lines of study will be arithmetic, spelling and the use of correct English, in writing and speaking. Work will also be given in American history and general geography.

The student is privileged to start at any point in any course of study and to advance as rapidly as his knowledge and industry will permit.

The teacher, Prof. Harry Spence, is the principal of the 5th district school of La Crosse, and is too well known as an instructor to need any words of recommendation.

A traveler putting up at a small hotel out in California brought the porter up to his room with his angry storming.

"Want your room changed, sir? What is the matter?"

"The room's all right," fumed the guest, scorchingly. "It's the fleas I object to, that's all."

"Mrs. Hawkins!" shouted the porter, in an uninterested sort of a voice, "the gent in No. 7 is satisfied with his rooms, but he wants the fleas changed."—Harper's Weekly.

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Oyster Crackers that are always fresh.

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NORTH SIDE C. E. ELECTS OFFICERS

MISS ELSIE GROESINGER IS MADE PRESIDENT

MUSICAL PROGRAM FOLLOWS

After Business Meeting Members of Presbyterian Society Enjoy Themselves.

Last evening the Christian Endeavor society of the North Presbyterian church held their annual meeting at the home of Miss Pearl Laughlin, 1437 Charles street.

Business of the meeting was transacted, after which officers were elected as follows:

President—Elsie Groesinger.
Vice-president—Pearl Laughlin.
Recording secretary—Ethel Harrington.

Corresponding secretary—Agnes Webster.

Treasurer—Ida Boyer.
Organist—Pearl Laughlin.

The business session was followed by a musical program which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Edward Wheeler, the well known Rose street confectioner, has returned from a business trip to Nebraska.

VIROQUA NEWS

Church programs for Sunday, Oct. 20, 1907:

Congregational church — Morning service 10:30; sermon subject, "The Gospel According to Jesus." Sunday school at 11:45; Y. P. S. C. E., at 6:30 p. m., leader, May Martin. Evening service at 7:30; sermon subject, "Harvesting Memories." Rev. Jesse E. Saries, pastor.

Confirmation services in the United Lutheran church at 10:30 a. m.; Rev. Mr. Gullander of Westby officiating.

Regular services in the M. E. church at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.; Rev. Chas. E. Butters, pastor.

Mrs. E. C. Evans and Mrs. G. F. Myre of Westby called on friends and did shopping in the city today.

Mrs. Ed. Lierick of Cash-ton is the guest of relatives in the city.

Mrs. D. M. Hunter of Viola is the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. George Nuzum in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Nelson of Cash-ton were business callers here yesterday.

YEOMEN DOINGS.

Mrs. J. R. Foster, 911 Adams street, entertained the ladies of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen at a coffee Wednesday afternoon. All spent an enjoyable afternoon.

Mrs. C. S. Mellbin, 1020 South Fifth street, will entertain the ladies of the Yeomen next Wednesday afternoon.

The next regular meeting of the B. A. Y. will be Thursday evening, Oct. 24.

The bazaar to be given by the ladies of the B. A. Y. in Woodman hall

November 12, 13 and 14 will perhaps be one of the largest ever held by any La Crosse fraternal society. The arrangements are nearly completed. Donations are received daily and it is expected that they will be in and everything completed by Nov. 1.

There will be various kinds of fancy and articles on sale at the booths. Refreshments will be served afternoon and evening, and there will also be dancing every evening. One of the interesting features of the bazaar will be a contest among the Yeomen young ladies. The most popular young lady Yeomen will receive a prize. The ballot box is located in Batchelder's shoe store.

GENTLEMEN:

Most of you know that we have moved—that we have one of the finest stores in the Northwest—that it is well stocked with Everything in Furnishings for Men (when we say Furnishings, we mean Shirts, Ties, Collars, Hosiery, (Socks,) Gloves, Fancy Vests, Underwear, Etc.)—that we can make a Hat, soft or stiff, in any size, any color, any shape to fit any particular bumps you may have—that it doesn't cost any more money to have your Hats Made to Fit—that we have put new machinery in our shop (which, by the way, is open to you at all times)—that we shall continue to Renovate, Reblock and make over your old hat generally—that we want you to come and see us, if you please—

THE STORE WITH THE NEW GOODS

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526 MAIN ST.

LA CROSSE

EMPIRE THEATRE

COR. ROSE AND ST. CLOUD ST., NORTH SIDE

A BUSHEL OF FUN

UP-TO-DATE MOTION PICTURES

Mother-in-Law's Visit

Father's Quiet Sunday

Sambo as Footman

Victims of Science

ILLUSTRATED SONGS

"Clover Blossoms"

"The Moon Shines Down on You"

PROGRAM SUNDAY AND MONDAY

UP-TO-DATE MOTION PICTURES

Forty Winks

Wrestling Ass

Burmah

Police Dogs

Stanley Park Scratched

ILLUSTRATED SONGS

"You'll Not Be Forgotten Lady Love"

"Honey Time"

Matinees Tuesday and Friday 3 to 5 p. m.

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ALL MATINEES EXCEPT SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS, 5c

ADMISSION 10c

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It is impossible to judge the International Clothes by the price. There is nothing about them that is similar to others—so comparison is out of place. They stand alone. Though popular priced they are far in advance of those that cost you double. The difference lies in the fact that the International Tailoring Co., of New York and Chicago have different methods and are able to render service of the highest order at a price that none can imitate.

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FRUIT HOUSE

PERSONALS

Extra fine oyster stew—Pfund's. Mrs. Walter A. Lowrie and daughter Clarista of Aguirre, Porto Rico, have been the guests the past week of their cousin, Mrs. W. B. Batchelder.

Mrs. George Lindsey of Madison, S. D., formerly of the North Side, is here to see her daughter, Mrs. B. F. Keeler, who has been very ill.

Rheumatism is caused by the improper working of the kidneys. The uric acid which should be removed from the blood remains in it. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea removes the cause and drives it from the system. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your Druggist.

R. F. Jones of Mankato is spending a few days with friends about the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Nelson of Los Angeles, Cal., are guests of relatives in the city.

H. W. Eldred and wife of Rushford returned home last evening after spending the day with La Crosse friends.

Woodmen Dance Wednesday, Oct. 23rd. Woodmen Hall. Music by Kreutz's orchestra. Tickets, 50c per couple.

J. Clark of Caledonia was transacting business in the city yesterday. Miss Edna Valier has gone to Milwaukee, where she will visit friends for a few days.

The other girls asked how it came she was so far to see; She told them they could be the same.

If the'd use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea—Ask your Druggist.

J. W. Snow has returned from New Albion, where he has been visiting friends for the past week.

Mrs. Frank Kennicott, of Sioux Falls, S. D., is the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Savage.

Mrs. Amund Edmunds and granddaughter, Ida Wingstad of this city are the guests of friends at Blair, Wis.

Dr. George Fowell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Henry J. Hoelzer has moved his family from 425 West avenue north, to 1131 Pine street, yesterday.

W. H. Munson of Andover is calling on old acquaintances in the city for a few days.

Henry E. Jones of Tampa, Fla., writes: "I can thank God for my present health, due to Foley's Kidney Cure. I tried doctors and all kinds of kidney cures, but nothing did me much good till I took Foley's Kidney Cure. Four bottles cured me, and I have no more pain in my back and shoulders. I am 62 years old, and suffered long, but thanks to Foley's Kidney Cure I am well and can walk and enjoy myself. It is a pleasure to recommend it. O. T. Erhart."

W. H. Grant of Harvey Creek is spending a few days in the city visiting relatives.

C. S. Cameron of Waukesha was calling on friends in the city for a short time yesterday.

J. D. Waddell has returned to his home in Niles, Ohio, after visiting relatives in La Crosse.

Foley's Kidney Cure will cure any case of kidney trouble that is not beyond medical aid.

M. Ryan has returned to his home in Caledonia after transacting business in the city.

F. E. Gander of Monmouth is spending a few days with friends in the city.

Mrs. J. M. Storkerson and sister, Mrs. Charles G. Storkerson, of Denver, Colo., have returned from Chicago, where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

Hack calls made night and day. Gateway City Tfr. Line, phone 179.

E. E. Pattern of St. Joseph returned home this morning after visiting friends in the city yesterday.

M. Simpson of Viroqua is spending a few days with friends about the city.

Thomas E. Rusche of Davenport is the guest of friends in the city over Sunday.

KIRK'S JAP ROSE toilet and bath soap—it is TRANSPARENT—so clear you can read through it. All druggists and grocers sell it.

D. F. McLachth of Rockford was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

Miss Maude Grant of Chicago is the guest of friends in the city over Sunday.

T. Maseng has returned to his home in Viroqua after calling on business acquaintances here.

Pianos for sale, tuned and rented. A. Ruhoff, S. 7th St. Both phones.

George Moel of Fountain is visiting friends in the city over Sunday.

H. Paulson of Westby is transacting business in the city for a few days.

Secretary Robert Calvert of the La Crosse Manufacturers' and Job-

bers' union, and local customs officer, has gone to Wabasha, where he is inspecting the steamer Van Sant, which has recently been built and may be sold. The boat as yet bears no number and is in the chattel list.

In most cases consumption results from a neglected or improperly treated cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate coughs and prevents serious results. It costs you no more than the unknown preparations and you should insist upon having the genuine in the yellow package. O. T. Erhart.

S. J. Jackson of Billings, Mont., is the guest of relatives in the city this week.

Mrs. N. K. Barrett and children of Albert Lea are the guests of friends in the city.

G. Fred Rupprecht of Eatsman was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

Bert Williams of Webster is spending a few days with friends in the city.

Larry Showen has returned to his home in Viroqua after transacting business here.

H. O. Glasant of Spring Grove is the guest of friends in the city over Sunday.

J. H. Stowe of Albert Lea is in the city visiting friends and old acquaintances.

Dance at Concordia, Saturday, Oct. 19th.

O. O. Briedler of Chaseburg was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

Clarence Caldwell left this morning for Bangor, where he was called on a business mission.

Miss Blanch Holcomb left last evening for a week's visit with friends at Madison and Chicago.

No person that keeps the food canal clean and healthy can have appendicitis. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea cleans the food canal and protects you from disease. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your Druggist.

Mrs. C. A. Beeman and daughter of Waukon are the guests of friends in the city over Sunday.

Prof. Packman left this morning for West Salem where he will spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Libby of Preston are spending a few days with friends in the city.

M. Williams of Portage was calling on business acquaintances in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Barber of Trempealeau are the guests of friends in the city for a few days.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

No home is so pleasant, regardless of the comforts that money will buy, as when the entire family is in perfect health. A bottle of Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup costs 50 cents. It will cure every member of the family of constipation, sick headache or stomach trouble. O. T. Erhart.

W. P. Peters, building contractor, was in the city yesterday returning from Tomah, where he built eleven residences. He left last evening for Harvard, Ill.

R. G. Gammell has returned to his home in Spring Valley after transacting business in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cofemer of Hartford are the guests of friends in the city over Sunday.

F. Flock of Sparta was in the city yesterday renewing old acquaintances.

C. N. Hall, formerly of this city, returned last night from Montana where he has been for the past summer.

Mrs. A. Kriese of Portage is the guest of friends in the city.

Cyclopaen Fare.

The proprietor of a certain restaurant "leased" the reserve side of his bill of fare to a carriage manufacturer, who prints advertisements thereon. The other day a customer, in a great hurry, ran into the restaurant, sat at a table and was handed the bill wrong side up by the flurried waiter. The customer put on his pince-nez, curled his moustache with his left hand and shouted in a voice of thunder: "Bring me a fly, a land-an, two victrolas and a dog-cart. Get any funeral cars?" The waiter fled.—London Graphic.

The Best Wedding Present.

"I've got the greatest respect," began Wiseman, "for the man who says what he thinks."

"Yes," interrupted Dumbley, who prided himself on his candor, "that's me exactly."

"And," went on Wiseman, meaningly, "the greatest contempt for the man who only says what he thinks he thinks."—Philadelphia Press.

CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned hereby extend their many thanks to the neighbors and friends, and the members of the G. A. R., through their kind assistance at the death and funeral of Mr. Schenk.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Riek.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

IRVINE'S WEDDING RINGS

Seamless, solderless, jointless, 14k, 18k, 22k. A complete assortment in English hoop and plain Band Rings. All sizes and weights. It matters not how thin you wear one of our Rings it will not break. Ours are rings that are equally strong throughout. There is no seam or joint to come apart after years of wear. These Rings may be worn to the thinness of a very fine wire and still be intact. Get the right article for your wedding ring. You buy at jobbers' prices here.—\$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$8.00.

W. T. IRVINE, Jeweler. To please all not only now but in the future, as well, is our policy.

CITY NEWS

CONSIDER BUDGET—The finance committee of the common council consisting of Aldermen Bartl, Keller and Emery will meet in the small council chamber this evening to consider the budget which was submitted at the last meeting of the council.

SELLS NEW BOAT—The new packet built by ex-Governor Van Sant at Wabasha has been sold to the Carnival Packet company and will be used on the lower river. R. Calvert goes to Wabasha today to inspect the new boat and make out necessary papers.

TURNABLE COMPLETED—The new turn table of the La Crosse & Southeastern railway has just been completed in their yards on Green Bay street and now makes it possible for engines to run into the yard and be reversed without trouble.

PIONEER DIES—Paul Huefner, a pioneer resident of Fountain City, died Thursday at Winona after submitting to an operation. He was well known in La Crosse having visited here many times while in the grain and telephone business.

MOVEMENT OF BOATS—The J. W. Van Sant and bowboat Lydia Van Sant brought a raft down river yesterday morning, returning last evening and taking the second division of the logs down this morning.

MOVE BUILDING—Contractors are busy at the Langdon and Boyd packing house moving the old wooden structure to the north of the yards to make room for their new brick building.

COMES BACK WEST—Thaddeus Brindley, son of County Judge Brindley, has resigned his position on the Brookside farm at Newburg, N. Y., and will return to Hinsdale, Ill., to superintend the Natoma farm. Mr. Brindley will report for his new duties on Nov. 1.

CLAIMS BODY—George Nieland, Verona, Wis., has claimed the body of his brother, Henry Nieland, who suicided a few days ago in a Northwestern passenger coach at Winona.

ELKS DANCE—The second informal dancing party given by the B. P. O. Elks last night was a decided success. More than fifty couples being present. Kreutz's orchestra furnished the music and Mrs. Guess gave two vocal selections during the evening.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nimcocks was held yesterday afternoon from the residence, 330 North Third street. Interment was made at Oak Grove cemetery, with Mrs. Theo. Mannstedt in charge.

WON'T MOVE IT—It is understood that Contractor C. W. Noble has decided not to try to remove the large Van Steenwyck building from the corner of Seventh and Main streets on account of the damage it would do to the shade trees. The building was sold to Mr. Noble at a consideration of \$700, which the latter was to pay as a purchase price providing he was allowed to remove it.

THIRD HIGH AT WEST SALEM TODAY

The Third High school football team left this morning for West Salem where they will meet the high school eleven.

The game was played this morning to enable the players to go to Sparta and root for the first team.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS TODAY

Civil service examinations were held this morning in the small council chamber of the city hall by Prof. Harry Spence of the fifth district school.

Messrs. F. H. J. Baum and P. J. McAvaney took the examinations for library clerk and C. F. Cole took the examination for guard.

ADDRESSES BROTHERHOOD.

Rev. John K. Fowler returned yesterday from Rochester, Minn., where he was called to give an address before the Men's Brotherhood of the First Presbyterian church.

DON'T TRY UNCERTAIN RECIPE.

It is entirely unnecessary to experiment with this, that and the other recipe. Why waste time, money and patience when you can get from your grocer, for 10 cents, a package of "OUR-PIE" Preparation—Lemon, Chocolate or Custard—for making pies that are so good that when you eat one piece you will want another? The way to please the men-folks is to give them good pie.

FOUND

Toy watch and chain, corner Main and Fifth. Owner please call for it at Beyschlag's Drug Store, 503 Main street, Agency Gray's Yerba Santa, the Cough Cure of the hour, the Cough Cure that stops a cough quicker than any other known remedy because its built on different principles, with modern remedial agents, known to be the best in quieting and allaying all irritations and inflammatory conditions of the throat, windpipe and lungs, which cause the cough. It is pleasant, warming and aromatic to the taste, and full of business, which you will immediately realize after the first few doses by the disappearance of your cough. It comes in 50c and \$1.00 bottles the \$1.00 size containing two and one half 50c bottles.

CHAS. BEYSCHLAG, Druggist, 503 Main.

French Influence In Millinery



Is the thought that comes uppermost on seeing these hats. They are "Frenchy" without the exaggeration or outlandishness which characterizes some imported models. In a word, these are French Hats "Americanized." See them—They have individuality and style. Rich conceits in fine velvets and imported felts, beautifully trimmed. We are sure the quality, style and superior workmanship cannot be duplicated at the prices we are asking. At \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00

MISS SUNDT.

WOMEN'S LONG COATS

High class garments of character and style that will surprise any woman at the price—It's the climax of value giving. The coats are the long loose or fitted, in the best grade of Thibet, Kersey or Broadcloth in black, brown or blue, at \$7.98, \$10.00, \$13.75, \$15.00 and \$22.50

Poehling's

All Cars Start and Stop at this Store

ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to announce to the public that we have purchased — The Ice Cream Parlors and Candy Store, also the Cigar Store and News Stand in the Theatre Bldg.

Patrons may be assured of the same courteous treatment that has made these stores so popular in the past.

We are not making any promises but would ask our customers to watch our growth.

We will try to please you.

D. A. GILES & SONS

Leon L. Giles, Res. Mgr.

PIANOS

Steinway, Hardman, Shoninger, Kurtzman, Crown

If I can't save you money on a first class piano and prove this to your satisfaction I don't want to sell you. Your inspection invited.

CARL B. NOELKE

531 MAIN STREET.

NEW PASSENGER STATION.

On and after October 27 The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will occupy the new Union Station at Washington, D. C., which is said to be the most magnificent passenger station in the world. The fare from Chicago to New York is \$18.00 with stop-over at Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia, not to exceed ten days at each place. For information address R. C. Haase, T. P. A., St. Paul, Minn., or B. N. Austin, G. P. A., Chicago.

H. W. BARKER

What's in a name, but his cough remedy is the medicine that cures At Runckel's Drug Store

Little Ethel—"When the mouse ran up the clock what did the clock do?" Little Willie—"I s'pose the clock ran down."



DO YOU EVER DREAM OF DIAMONDS? Some of the fondest hopes and thoughts that many of us have are those of the time when diamonds will be numerous in our possession. The young maiden looks forward to the all important engagement ring determining in her mind the size and setting she would like. To the young man we would say that if there is an engagement on hand we are experts in giving advice as to the purchase of diamonds. Consult us before becoming engaged. J. E. GEIWEITZ, Jeweler, 500 Main, Corner Fifth Street.

EUTERPEAN SOCIETY OPENS THE SEASON

PROGRAM HELD LAST NIGHT AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SELECTIONS ENTERTAINING

Various Poets Are Quoted by Their Admirers and Selections Are Given During the Evening

The program at the first meeting of the Euterpean society last evening, the first since the close of the meetings for the vacation, was opened in the auditorium of the First Presbyterian church with quotations as follows:

Rev. J. J. Clemens—"Bobbie" Burns.

C. H. Schweizer—William Shakespeare.

Prof. F. H. Fowler—Bryant.

Mrs. Henry Faville—Lowell.

Mrs. F. H. Fowler—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

Prof. N. S. Donaldson—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Rev. J. K. Fowler—Milton.

Miss Dorset—Wordsworth.

Rev. Henry Faville—Whittier.

Prof. Otto Wieland—Goethe.

A short time before the program was opened, Rev. Henry Faville, president of the organization, announced that Miss Gelatt would act as master of programs for the coming season.

To Meet at Church.

The executive committee has been instructed to make arrangements to hold meetings of the society in the future in the First Presbyterian church and the meeting in November will be held there, unless announcement to the contrary is made before that time.

Discontinue Class Study.

Prof. F. H. Fowler reported that little interest had been shown in the classes which he had been conducting and therefore advised that they be dropped. The motion was passed and the study classes will therefore be discontinued.

Miss Doerflinger Renders "Etaiide."

TRY OUR
French Dry Cleaning
FOR
Ladies' and Gents' Garments
It gives them that new appearance.
Perfect Work and Prompt Delivery.
Both Phones
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LA CROSSE STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Doerflinger pleased the audience by the rendition of a piano solo entitled "Etaiide," by McDowell. The selection was rendered with remarkable execution and ease. Miss Raudenbush followed with a vocal selection entitled "Spring."

The next number on the program was Mendelssohn's "Spring Song" on the piano by Miss Lois Halek and description by Miss Bertha Lawrence.

Miss May rendered Mendelssohn's well known selection "The First Violin," and was greeted with much applause. Miss Bigham gave the description. The next number on the program was an interesting paper read by Mrs. Worthington on "The History of Landscape Painting," in which she told of the first landscape being used as a background with the later landscapes as pictures by themselves.

Miss Mildred Gilbertson read a poem describing "McDowell's selection Autumn," which was rendered on the piano by Mrs. Mollie Austin, and was much appreciated.

Miss Rollins Renders Solo.

Miss Martha A. Rollins, the new La Crosse public school vocal teacher then rendered Schubert's "Hark, Hark, the Lark." The solo proved to be very charming and was well received.

The next meeting will be held on the first of November.

FORMER LA CROSSE PEOPLE TO WED

Word has been received here of the announcement of the approaching wedding of Miss Agnes Stiles of this city who is now visiting at Braham and Cambridge, Minn., in Oct. 23, to Mr. Edward Harrison, formerly of this city. The wedding will take place at Portland, Ore., where Mr. Harrison has been located for some time.

Until a few months ago Mr. Harrison was a member of Company M and has also been employed as a decorator in this city.

Miss Stiles, although a resident of this city but a few years, has made a large circle of friends and is esteemed by all who know her.

CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING AT WESTBY

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dahl of Westby celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home in Westby Thursday evening. About 400 guests assembled and helped in the celebration. Speeches were delivered by many of the guests, after which refreshments were served.

Among the La Crosse guests at the celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gilbert and Miss Martha Brye.

SPARTA MAN COMES IN AUTO

Fred A. Gross, a former resident of La Crosse, now residing at Sparta, Wis., made a trip to La Crosse in an automobile yesterday, with John Brock.

A woman thinks her husband is smart to be able to tell what makes the furnace, though he can't stop it. Postmen can tell there's nothing in women's letters by their being so thick.

Do You Lack ENERGY?
Try
Grape-Nuts
every morning and evening—eat less meat and see how you begin to "wake up."
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STORY DENIES CONSPIRACY

Director of Rendering Company Furnished Information Made Basis of Indictment.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 19.—Another page was turned in the conspiracy suit of Charles F. Pfister against the Free Press and Prosecutor F. E. McGovern, growing out of the indictment of Pfister on a charge of bribery. McGovern had declined to answer questions as to the source of his information, on the ground that proceedings in the grand jury room should not be made public. The question became an issue, and the lower court held McGovern must answer. The supreme court split squarely on the matter, and the opinion of the lower court therefore prevailed. It was by direction of this court that McGovern yesterday answered the questions. His replies formed a complete denial of the charge that a conspiracy existed, and through a misunderstanding of one of the questions the witness brought out the fact that Mr. Pfister had on two previous occasions figured in alleged bribery deals before the grand jury, no indictments being returned because the evidence as affecting him was purely hearsay. Others were indicted, however. Regarding one of these instances the evidence mentioning Mr. Pfister, as represented in Mr. McGovern's answer, was as follows:

Former Testimony.

"The testimony of Mr. Seidel was, in effect, that Mr. Klefisch and Mr. Fred C. Schultz had come to him and had bribed him in connection with the sale of the old morgue site by the county to the street railway company. That when they paid him the money, \$450, they stated to him that they had great difficulty in getting it. They had to go to Chicago; or with a check given them by Mr. Pfister and had procured the money there, amounting to \$7,000 or \$8,000, from some one to whom they had been directed by Mr. Pfister, and that they had had a great deal of trouble in getting it, and did not succeed in getting all they expected. That was the testimony. Upon that testimony the advice was given that while that was admissible against Klefisch and Schultz as showing conspiracy with them, as to Pfister it was hearsay and incompetent; and there was no testimony before the grand jury, therefore, which would incriminate him in that transaction."

The inquiry also disclosed the fact that Henry J. Killilea, a director of the Rendering company to secure a contract, for which Mr. Pfister was alleged to have acted as a go-between in the handling of a \$25,000 alleged corruption fund, furnished the information, or charge, upon which the grand jury acted in returning its indictment of Mr. Pfister. The evidence here was as follows:

Statement of Henry J. Killilea

Q. Seventh: "Prior to the findings by the grand jury of the indictment, in respect to business relations with the Wisconsin Rendering company, had any person officially interested in the Wisconsin Rendering company made any complaint to your office of any reported doings by Mr. Pfister?"

A. Yes, a person officially interested in the company had made such a report to me.

Q. Who was that?

A. Mr. Henry J. Killilea, one of the directors of the company.

Q. What did Killilea state to you?

A. He said in substance, as I recall the conversation, that some time in 1900 or 1901 the rendering company, of which he was then a director, had put up a large sum of money, I think he said \$25,000, in the hands of Mr. Pfister for the purpose of securing a new contract for Steve Hoff, who at that time was receiver of the Rendering company. Now, I am not attempting to quote his language exactly, but I am giving the substance and gist of the conversation as I recall it.

Q. What was there that was criminal or that appeared to be criminal or that suggested criminality in the statement made by Mr. Killilea?

A. The putting up of a large sum of money to secure the granting of a contract by the city of Milwaukee to a public contractor. That would suggest possible bribery to any mind, I think at that time.

STING OF INSECTS KILL 250,000

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—"There are 250,000 deaths annually as the result of mosquito bites," said Dr. Edward A. Ayers, a member of the faculty of the New York Polytechnic, at a meeting in the New York Academy of Medicine. Dr. Ayers furnished astonishing figures in his lecture on "The Mosquito as a Sanitary Problem." He said five diseases are directly traceable to the bite of the insect. They are malaria, yellow fever, beri-beri, dengue and filariasis. The government is eliminating the mosquito danger by draining swamp lands, he said.

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JUDGE SAYS MAGILLS WERE NOT GUILTY

DECATUR, Ia., Oct. 19.—In closing the Magill case, in which an acquittal was announced last night, State's Attorney Miller demanded that both the defendants be "put away where the eyes of decent men and women would not have to look upon them."

"Find these defendants guilty," he cried, "in the name of motherhood, virtue, and purity. Put sentiment aside. Remember that they thrust a human soul over the brink to face her maker. I demand a verdict of guilty."

There was much of the sensational in the court room. Marguerite, Magill's daughter, cried, but Magill and Pay Graham Magill were stolid.

After receiving the verdict, the judge said:

"I want to say a word about this case now. If it had been an ordinary case I would have instructed you in your duty before this, but I have known from the first that the people of Decatur county never would be satisfied until the evidence on both sides was thrashed out thoroughly. I especially wanted these letters proven genuine. I have given the case the widest latitude for these reasons. But when the case was all over, I knew beyond a question that no verdict of guilty would be returned."

"I think we will go west for good in a few days," said Magill, after the trial. "I never expected anything but this verdict. I never committed a crime, not even to making my wife unhappy. The truth and the whole truth is in these letters. My wife was a good girl and there was nothing wrong between us before our marriage. Pet Magill loved this girl and told me to marry her. If we had not been married so soon nothing would have been said. But it was Marguerite who wanted that."

APPROACHES TO BRIDGE DOWN

Work has nearly been completed at the approaches to the Pettibone park bridge where the La Crosse dredging company has been filling in.

The company took the dredge away this morning and is now at work leveling the ground.

Some controversy has arisen in regard to the letting of the contract for the 45 foot span which was put in by the Marsh Bridge company when C. W. Noble of this city had offered to install the bridge for \$600 less.

Crescote Nearly Done.

Work is progressing rapidly on Cass street where the crescote block has been installed from Fifth to Tenth, but two blocks remaining.

EAGLES DECIDE ON RECEPTION DATE

At the regular meeting of the Eagles last evening final arrangements were made for the anniversary reception that will be held at the lodge rooms Friday evening, Nov. 15th. The date was not decided on for the minstrel show to be given by the lodge, but it will be some time in November. Six new members were initiated into the organization.

TAKES BATH AT PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

Attorney Charles B. Miller, who has been spending the week in Prairie du Chien, Wis., for rest and to cure an attack of nervousness, is expected to return home tonight. Attorney Miller has been suffering for some weeks with nervousness and an attack of heart trouble, and took the baths at Prairie du Chien in hope of finding relief.

GO HUNTING TODAY.

Messrs. Fred H. Hartwell, Horace Norton, Frank Winters and A. A. Bleekman, Jr., went on a hunting expedition this noon up the Mississippi in a launch.

One of them says he will get broke enroute and hunt for the "hidden treasure" and another of the "quartette" had a field glass with which he will carefully scan the distance to see that the pilot does not overtake the sea-lion and upset the boat.

Order for game are numerous.

CONCERNING HUMBLED SILVER PLATED VARE

May we call attention to the absurdity of the reverent awe you are expected to feel as you ponder the samples of job lot and old style silver plated ware—occasionally advertised as bargains in the narrow precincts of a sacred shrine devoted to general stocks? Quadruple plate? Dear reader, quadruple plate means nothing.

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HOWARD LIKELY THE MAN

Indications Are That Prisoner at the County Jail Sought Short Term to Elude Officers.

When James Howard, alleged yeggan and general all-around crook, is released from the county jail on Nov. 11, after serving a forty-five day term for petit larceny, it is probable that he will be arrested on complaint of the United States, by Postal Inspector E. E. Fraser, charged with blowing up the postoffice at Mindoro, Wis., on the night of Sept. 24.

While the prisoner is confined in the county jail, Inspector Fraser has been busy gathering bits of evidence, which tend to show that Howard, whose name is thought to be an alias, either was in the party or committed the deed alone. Several suspicious circumstances attached themselves to the arrest of Howard, four days after the robbery. At that time it was believed he was attempting to shield himself by being arrested for a minor crime, and sentenced to jail for a short term, until the robbery had blown over.

Several articles in the possession of Howard at the time he was arrested aroused the suspicion of the authorities, and investigation was started almost immediately after the man was jailed. This in turn was given over to the federal authorities for the postoffice was blown open in the raid on the general store. Several of the residents of Mindoro are ready to testify that Howard looted around the town a few days previous to the robbery and disappeared immediately after the store was blown open.

Postal Inspector Fraser was absent from the city today, and the result of his investigations could not be learned.

KICKED IN KNEE BY RACE HORSE

John C. Johnson, the well known horse trainer and jockey, met with a painful accident which might have resulted seriously while attending to his trotter last evening. The animal became vicious and kicked him in the knee, causing a painful laceration which bled profusely.

Mr. Johnson gave the wound medical attention and was able to be around in his carriage today, but is hardly able to step on the limb.

Had the horse kicked him below the knee it is said that a fracture would certainly have been the result.

TOUGHS ON TRAIN KNIFE CONDUCTOR

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich. Oct. 19.—Conductor Ed. Dingman of the Soo line was terribly beaten and cut by two men on his train yesterday. One refused to pay fare, and when he tried to put him off the train, both fought the conductor, one using a knife and cutting a gash in Dingman's face and slashing the dumb.

Passengers went to the rescue of the conductor and the desperadoes were locked in the baggage car and turned over to the authorities at Manistique.

During the fight one emptied a valise out of the window. Local police believe the men were crooks who had been working here. Dingman will recover.

INJURIES FOLLOW STAGE FUSILADE

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 19.—Realism broke out in the Indian fight in the third act of the play at the Lyceum on Wednesday, when a number of the boys of the national guard were wounded by the discharges from Indian guns while defending the stockade from encircling savages.

Some ill-defended persons, unfriendly to defenders and Indians alike, had put handfuls of salt in the guns of the Indians, and when these guns were discharged in the direction of the stockade the defenders were salted in their faces.

TALKS ON WATERWAY

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—The need of improving navigable inland waterways will be the chief topic to be discussed by Vice President Fairbanks during his tour of Iowa and Texas, which opened at Sioux City, Ia., last night. Mr. Fairbanks said: "At a time when the west is deeply interested in the gulf waterway plan I think we should not lose sight of the many inland streams that should be improved. There is no doubt that by deepening many of these that improvement of commerce will be aided."

"Rates of freight transportation would be lowered in the same proportion as though the Mississippi project were completed, as I hope it will be."

CUTS OFF FINGER

While cutting bread for the noon-day meal, Mrs. George Ash, north Tenth street, accidentally cut off the tip of one of her fingers.

NORTH LUMBER CO. FAILS IN SOUTH

(Continued from Page One.)

tion was raised, relative to the financial standing of the company, although there was a large issue of bonds outstanding.

Now comes the news of the failure, with assets of \$3,000,000, and the liabilities of the company \$1,300,000. The officers of the company hope to make a full settlement and resume business. The shortage of cars in the south is one of the reasons given for the appointment of a receiver.

The American Lumber, one of the leading lumber journals and one of the most reliable, says of the failure:

"Last week announcement was made of the failure of the J. E. North Lumber company, of Bond, Miss., but some of the details were lacking. The North company has been making heavy purchases of timber lands the last few years and in paying for them had to bond its timber and plant for security."

"It is reported that the assets of the company were about \$3,000,000, consisting of 60,000 acres of timber lands, and a well equipped plant. The liabilities were in the neighborhood of \$1,300,000, the largest part of which is in the nature of a bond issue on the timber and plant of the company."

"S. D. Thayer, of the Thayer Export Lumber company, of Gulfport, Miss., who is a brother-in-law of Mr. North, has been appointed receiver, and it is reported that he is the largest creditor."

"The shortage of cars on the Gulf & Ship Island road is given as the cause of the company's trouble, it being unable to deliver its lumber, and therefore it could not make collections. Mr. North said the urgent claims amounted to about \$200,000; efforts being made to raise sufficient collections. Mr. North said the urgent claims of the company so that the receiver may be dismissed."

"Reports from St. Louis, Mo., state that the bondholders were not consulted in regard to the appointment of a receiver. H. M. Noel, of the Noel, Young Bond & Stock company, St. Louis, has been appointed by about two-thirds of the bondholders as chairman of a committee to protect their interests."

GAMBLERS HURRY OUT OF CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—Members of the gambling trust and the city and police officials who have protected them in operation, according to the report of the September grand jury, have had the scare of their lives. Last night began the biggest general exodus of gamblers from the city, it is said, that has taken place for years. Big and little gamblers, afraid of subpoenas to tell what they know to the October grand jury, which will convene next Monday, received imperative orders from Monte Tennes, "Blind John" Condon and "Tom" McGinnis, who have controlled racetrack gambling in Chicago, to flee the city.

CUBA ASKING FOR "FREE INTERCHANGE"

HAVANA, Oct. 19.—The Agrarian League has petitioned Gov. Magoon for "Free Interchange" between the United States and Cuba. The expression is interpreted to mean "Annexation."

The petition expresses dissatisfaction of the commercial and producing classes with present conditions.

GO TO MINNEAPOLIS

Messrs. Felix Muetze, the violin soloist, and Walter W. West, the well known arranger, left a few days ago for Minneapolis, where they will resume playing in the Symphony orchestra with which they have been connected for some time.

Mr. Muetze has just returned from a tour throughout the east with a branch of Sousa's band.

MYSTERY IN KIDNAPING.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Declaring that she would rather die than disgrace her parents, Miss Mae Bradley, who was arrested on the charge of aiding Mrs. Maud Clark to kidnap her son, Carlton, aged 5 years, from Dr. C. Kremer, of Lexington avenue, refused to answer questions in police court yesterday. When pressed for answers she fainted and the case was adjourned until Monday. During an unguarded moment Miss Bradley said that her parents are prominent and wealthy, but she would not disgrace them by dragging them into the case.

RETURN TO CHICAGO.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Aiken have returned to Chicago after a visit with Register of Deeds Frank Aiken. Miss Ida Aiken accompanied them to Chicago for a short visit.

Winonans complain that the removal of three sawmills from the river front territory there recently has left the property vacant, and lends an empty appearance to the territory.

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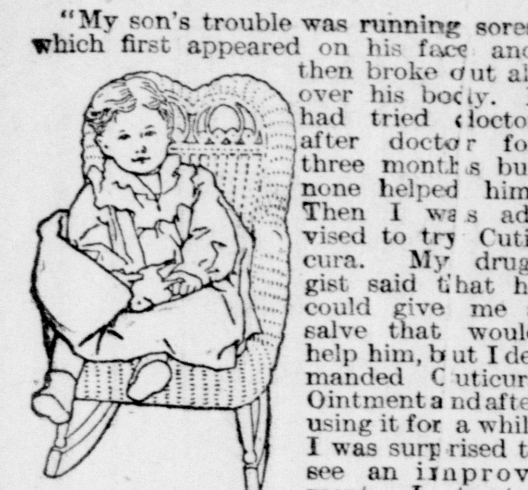
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BIG BANK IS SOLD
UNKNOWN TO OWNER

DIRECTORS MAKE DEAL AND
STOCKHOLDERS WONDER

INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK

Racine to Have Large Financial In-
stitution; Complete Change in
Officers Is Contemplated

RACINE, Wis., Oct. 19.—Stock-
holders of the Manufacturers' Na-
tional bank were surprised when
they learned that the members of
the board of directors had sold in
whole or in part their stock in the
bank, receiving \$240 a share, and
that there was to be an entirely new
management of the bank. Persons
interested in the Commercial National
bank of Chicago, together with
Otus W. Johnson and H. M. Wallis
of Racine, manipulated the deal,
which is one of the largest financial
deals ever made here.

The capital stock of the Manu-
facturers' bank is \$250,000, with a
surplus fund of \$200,000 and un-
divided profits of \$76,000. It is reported
that the capital stock will be in-
creased to \$500,000 or \$1,000,000 and
thus be able to extend better lines
of credit to local manufacturing con-
cerns. The Commercial National
bank of Chicago, which is interested in
the purchase of stock, will no doubt
get the business of the Racine bank
and of its manufacturing patrons.
Stock in the local bank has never
sold for over \$205 a share, and
stockholders who learned of sales at
\$240 were unable to find other pur-
chasers at that figure.

A complete change of officers in
the bank will be made now and on
the first of the year men, who have
served for a decade, will give way
to younger men of the latter bank-
ing type.

TWO LED TO WED
BY GAME OF CARDS

APPLETON, Wis., Oct. 19.—
(Special).—Miss Hallie Ramsay,
heiress, was married at high noon to-
day to Rolla Barnum Watson, a
wealthy engineer from New York,
and thus culminates an interesting
romance. Miss Ramsay, daughter of
the late "Lord" Bertin Ramsay, was
crossing the ocean one day and was
asked to fill a hand in a sociable
game of cards. Her partner was
Mr. Watson. The game of cards be-
came a game of hearts and Mr. Wat-
son won. The Rev. Tabbot Rogers
of Fond du Lac performed the cere-
mony today.

CRACK OF MATCH
EXACTS ONE LIFE

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., Oct. 19.—
Peter Kaiser of Elkhart died of in-
juries received from being thrown
from a wagon.
He stood up in the wagon and
tried to light a cigar. The noise
made by striking the match scared
the horses and they started to run.
Kaiser was thrown and his skull and
one side of his face were badly
crushed. He was operated on to re-
lieve the pressure on the brain, but
it was of no avail. He was 35 years
of age and leaves a wife and daugh-
ter.

SEEK TO BREAK WILL

KENOSHA, Wis., Oct. 19.—The
hearing of the contest of the will of
James C. Dowse, a wealthy Kenosha
county farmer, who died a month
ago, has been started in the county
court, and many witnesses were
heard during the day. W. C. Dowse
and Ernest P. Dowse, two sons of
the testator, allege that undue in-
fluence was used to secure a divi-
sion of the property in favor of B.
C. Dowse. They claim that the father
was infirm and almost deaf and
blind when the will was made and
that his condition was such that he
could not tell what he wanted to do
with his property.

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benefit by it.

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Bladder, reduce all inflammations and
stop the pain, but the doctor's in-
structions are that it must be per-
sisted with for at least a week after
the patient has been completely re-
stored to health, in order to make
certain that every quick recovery
may be also a lasting one.

ATTEMPT TO FREE
WOMAN "RAFFLES"

RELATIVES PREPARING TO SE-
CURE RELEASE

DIVORCE IS NOT PROBABLE

No Bill Is Filed and Friends Expect
Reconciliation; Attorney Starts
Legal Battle Today.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 19.—An
attempt to secure the freedom of
Mrs. Charles J. Romadka from pri-
son, at least temporarily, will be
made. The woman Raffles is now in
the custody of the Chicago police and
her case will come up next Tues-
day.

In the meantime her attorney and
relatives here are mapping out plans
by which Mrs. Romadka will not be
obliged to remain behind prison
walls.

This afternoon John F. Donovan
went to Chicago to remain until the
case is called in the Harrison street
court. Monday Charles J. Romadka,
husband of the woman under arrest,
will also go to Chicago to be present
when the case come up.

That Mrs. Romadka will be for-
saken by her husband is strenuously
denied by Attorney Donovan. He
said today that Mrs. Romadka will
in all probability be released and
that efforts would be made to secure
bail for her. When she was released
last week a bond of \$9,400 was re-
quired. Since then other thefts have
been laid to her door and it is not
improbable that the bond may be in-
creased.

From Chicago comes the report
that the bill for a divorce asked by
the husband will be withdrawn. In
Milwaukee it is not known that Mr.
Romadka had applied for a divorce.
No record of such a complaint is on
file in the courts here, and attorneys
close to the Romadka families deny
that divorce proceedings have been
started.

"It is absolutely untrue," said
John F. Donovan. "Mr. Romadka
has not begun divorce proceedings
and has no intentions of that nature.
The report originated in Chicago and
is without foundation."

MUST ANSWER SUIT
TO ANNUL CHARTER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 19.—
Every objection raised by attorneys
for the Milwaukee Electric Railway
and Light company, former Mayor
David S. Rose and others to an ex-
amination under the discovery statu-
te in the suit instituted by At-
torney General F. L. Gilbert, to annul
the street car company's charter, was
overruled by Judge John C. Ludwig
in the circuit court yesterday.

Judge Ludwig handed down a de-
cision in which he exhaustively dis-
cussed the vital points of law in-
volved. He held that the eight grounds
urged by the attorneys for the de-
fendants for an injunction restraining
Court Commissioner Joseph G.
Donnelly from holding the examina-
tion were without merit in law. Judge
Ludwig did not touch upon mo-
tions and questions which depend
upon the main points in the case.

Appeal to Supreme Court.
Judge Ludwig granted a stay of
proceedings until Monday morning
when Attorney General Gilbert will
appear in court to oppose, if he sees
fit, an application which George P.
Miller, chief counsel for the de-
fendants, will make for a stay pending
an appeal to the supreme court.

The present development of the
case grew out of an attempt on the
part of the defendants to prevent the
examination of officers of the Mil-
waukee Electric Railway and Light
company, Mr. Rose, several aldermen
and ex-aldermen, Charles F. Pfister
and others under the discovery statu-
te. The suit was based upon charges
that the famous franchise of the
street railway company granted by
the common council in 1900 was
obtained by the corrupt use of mon-
ey. Mr. Gilbert's affidavit accom-
panying the subpoenas for the ex-
amination set out that the examina-
tion was desired to obtain infor-
mation upon which to base a complaint
in the suit.

When the examination was called
before Court Commissioner Donnelly,
several weeks ago, a temporary
injunction was served upon him di-
recting a stay of proceedings until
the petition of the defendants for
a permanent injunction could be
heard and decided by Judge Lud-
wig.

GENIUS IS RELEASED
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MANITOWOC, Wis., Oct. 19.—
(Special).—Through the effort of his
sweetheart, Anton Kaltenbaum, the
eccentric inventor of St. Nazianz,
has been released from the North-
ern hospital at Oshkosh. He is
again at work in his machine shop
and perfecting several new inven-
tions. He says he was treated well
at Oshkosh and he is physically in
better condition now than ever be-
fore.

LAYS DOUBLE EGG

MANKATO, Minn., Oct. 19.—W.
W. Weller, a farmer of Rapidan town-
ship, reports finding a curiosity in
his hen coop. It is an egg as large
as a goose egg and inside of it an-
other egg that is perfectly developed,
about the size of ordinary hens' eggs.

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ARGUE FOUR LOCAL
CASES AT MADISON

Four cases from the sixth judicial
district of Wisconsin, of which La
Crosse is the center, were argued be-
fore the state supreme court yester-
day. The decisions will be handed
down later.

Following are the actions:
79. Boehr, respondent, vs.
Jurgens, Anderson Co., appellant;
argued for the appellant by J. E. Hig-
bee and for the respondents by C. W.
Graves and R. B. Graves.

80. In re Central Drainage dis-
trict, Cash et al., appellants, vs.
Kruschke et al., respondents; argued
for the appellants by C. A. Veeder
and John M. Olin, and for the re-
spondents by Daniel H. Grady and
W. R. McCaul.

81. State Bank of La Crosse, re-
spondent, vs. Bienfang, appellant;
argued for the appellant by George
W. Bunge and J. W. Graves, and by
C. L. Hood for the respondent.

82. Schein, administrator, appel-
lant, vs. Chicago & North-Western
Railroad company, respondent; ar-
gued by R. B. Graves for the appel-
lant, and submitted on brief for the
respondents.

STATE IN BRIEF

JANESVILLE.—The Rock County
Sugar company has begun operations

with 360 hands employed. It is es-
timated that over 5,000 tons of beets
will be ground this season.

GRAND RAPIDS.—The barbers of
this city have united to advance the
charge for shaves from 10 to 15
cents. The new schedule of prices
will go into effect on Oct. 21, 1907.

EAU CLAIRE.—The Charles F.
Grindelle company of Chicago has
been given the contract to build the
new government building in this city
at a net cost of \$112,550. The com-
pany agrees to have the building
completed about April 1, 1909.

EAU CLAIRE.—The new school
laws passed at the last session of the
legislature are beginning to have a
wholesome effect on the country
schools of Eau Claire county. Al-
ready numerous new heating systems
have been installed and thousands of
dollars of improvements made
around timeworn and dust begrim-
ed buildings.

JANESVILLE.—New mail service
has been established between Mad-
ison and Chicago on trains 142 and
137 of the Milwaukee road. New
steel cars were put in commission.

GRAND RAPIDS.—William Rem-
ington, a farmer of the town of
Remington, this county, reports the
loss of a number of sheep killed by
wolves. Reports of this nature are
coming in with unusual frequency.

MADISON.—Prof. Charles F. Bur-
ge of the department of applied

electric chemistry at the University
of Wisconsin, has just been chosen
as the expert in gas electricity for
the state railroad rate commission.

VIOLA, Wis.—Somebody is taking
the Viola high school for a bar-
room. When the principal entered
the room one morning this week, the
floor of the assembly room was found
littered with empty beer bottles, cigar
stubs, cigaret "butts," and fifth.
There is no clue.

OSCEOLA, Wis.—A "blacksmith's
trust" is the latest combine proposed
in Polk county. The leaders intend
to organize all the men with sinewy
arms and raise prices for all classes
of work. This is believed to be the
first time in Wisconsin that a union
has been projected for blacksmiths.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—The Frank-
lin club, an organization of master
printers of Wisconsin, will give its
annual banquet here tonight. Editors
all over the state have been invited
to attend.

RACINE, Wis.—Not to be outdone,
the Racine college upper classmen
will again publish a monthly mag-
azine this year, to have the time-hon-
ored title of "The Mercury." A brass
band is also being organized. Last
year's band consisted of over fifty
members. Prof. George W. Burke
is director.

APPLETON, Wis.—Following their
game with Hamline at St. Paul to-

day, the Lawrence football team
leaves for Fargo, N. D., where they
will meet the Fargo Agricultural col-
lege today. Both games are rated
as "hard ones," and the trip is a
strenuous one.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis.—Two people
giving their names as Mr. and Mrs.
Mary Goldman are alleged to have
swindled residents of this city out of
about \$2,000. They are said to have
posed as owners of the Vienna Art
Institute, and enlarged pictures at a
low price to introduce them.

RIPON, Wis.—The annual lunch-
eon of the Ripon College Alumni as-
sociation will be given on Oct. 28 at
the Plankinton house, Milwaukee.

BELOIT, Wis.—W. F. Barnes of
Rockford was fined \$15 and costs
for exceeding the auto speed limit
in this city. Prosecution of auto
speeders is frequent.

HAYTON, Wis.—Farmers in this
vicinity have united, in supporting a
movement for the installation of a
rural telephone line. The Eastern
Wisconsin company is back of the en-
terprise, which is destined to cover
Calumet county with a network of
wires.

ASHLAND, Wis.—Bige Buchanan,
game warden for northern Wisconsin,
is dead of heart failure. He was the
best known hunter and fisherman in
the Lake Superior country, and an
artist and professional musician.

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MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

MAN DISAPPEARS; MURDER PROBABLE

PEOPLE OF FAIRMONT, MINN.,
ARE PUZZLED

MAN GONE FIFTEEN DAYS

Disappeared in St. Paul on Sept. 30
and Has Not Been Seen Since—
Police Asked to Assist

FAIRMONT, Minn., Oct. 19.—The mysterious disappearance of William W. Ward, mayor of the city of Fairmont, has just been made public through the local papers. Mayor Ward was last seen and heard from on Sept. 30 in St. Paul, where during the month of September he had temporary charge of the plumbing store of Ward & McQuiggan, plumbers, the firm being composed of William W. Ward and George P. McQuiggan. They also have a store in this city. On the last of September he packed his grip at the Foley hotel in St. Paul and said he was going to Fairmont. His absence excited considerable comment in official and business circles, but it was thought he would return at any time. His wife and family have heard absolutely nothing from him.

Asks Help of Police.

Mrs. Ward determined to wait no longer, and through her attorneys, Mathwig & Sasse of this city sent out to the sheriffs and police printed circulars which read as follows:

"DISAPPEARED."

"W. W. Ward, mayor of the city of Fairmont, Minn., about 46 years old, gray eyes, gray hair, face smooth shaven, florid complexion, height about five feet eight inches and weight about 215 pounds. Was last seen at St. Paul on Sept. 30; stated that he was leaving for Fairmont, and that official business required his presence in that city.

"Mr. Ward has lived in Fairmont about fifteen years. He was elected mayor of Fairmont twice in succession, the last time in April, 1907. He was somewhat involved financially, but not enough to warrant his leaving for parts unknown, or even to cause him much concern, as most of his creditors are secured, his unpaid bills but few, and the amount not large.

"His wife, family and friends are very much concerned about him, and would like to know what became of him. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity, also of the Elks and the Knights of Pythias.

Friends Are Puzzled.

"Address all communications relating to where he may be found or any information regarding him to Mathwig & Sasse, Fairmont, Minn."

No reason can be given for his disappearance. Although he was somewhat financially involved, it would not warrant his absconding. Some think that his business troubles worried him to such an extent that he has committed suicide. The general opinion is that he has met with an accident or foul play.

VIOLATED LAW THAT HE MAY TAKE BRIDE

WATERLOO, Ia., Oct. 19.—Unable to get a marriage license in Blackhawk county because the groom-elect had been divorced a few months before, Calde B. Jones of Waterloo and Miss Grace B. Maxon of Cedar Falls went to Omaha, where they were married Wednesday.

This action makes Mr. Jones liable to arrest for misdemeanor, for the Iowa statutes were amended at the last assembly making it an offense for divorcees to marry within a year from the granting of the decree. The couple now are touring the west and will return to Waterloo, where the groom is employed as a street car conductor.

All preparations were made for the event at the home of the bride's mother Tuesday night, but after the guests had assembled and the minister was present it was announced that a postponement must be taken because of the refusal of the authorities at Waterloo to grant a license. Jones was divorced June 24, 1907, his wife having deserted him.

W. C. T. U. ENGAGES IN STATUTE MAKING

IOWA FALLS, Ia., Oct. 19.—The W. C. T. U. of this city has taken up the cause of curfew and after circulating petitions has asked the city council to regulate youngsters after nightfall. The council is asked to adopt a curfew ordinance that will prevent young people under the age of sixteen years from being on the streets without a chaperon after 8 or 9 o'clock, according to the time of the year. The council has referred the matter to City Attorney John Lamprecht for an opinion and the legality of an ordinance of this nature, and the matter probably will come up for disposition at the November meeting.

MURDER TRIAL BEGUN

DES MOINES, Ia., Oct. 19.—Herbert Dickinson has been placed on trial on the charge of murdering Irene Blydenburg of Eldora, Ia. Dickinson who is a married man, was a lover of the girl, and is charged with being concerned in her death following an operation. Dr. Gadd of this city also is indicted for the murder.

QUO WARRANTO END FIRST MURDER TRIAL

LEGALITY OF NEW COUNTRY IS
QUESTIONED

INDIAN CASE IS POSTPONED

Court Must Show That It Has Legal
Existence; County Officers Also
Must Prove Their Rights

MAHONOMET, Minn., Oct. 19.—The trial of Wah-we-yea-cuming for murder came to a sudden close when Judge Grindeland of his own motion ordered a continuance of the case until next March. This action is taken on account of the quo warranto proceedings to declare the organization of Mahonomet county illegal. It is expected that the supreme court will settle that question by that time.

The first term of the district court ever held in Mahonomet county convened Tuesday, with Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren presiding. Court was held in the Congregational church.

The principal case for trial was the State of Minnesota vs. Wah-we-yea-cuming, accused of murder in the second degree. On Aug. 16 last the defendant, while drunk, is charged with having hit one Paym-way-gwon-abe with a spade. On Aug. 18 Paym-way-gwon-abe died as a result of the wound. What is believed to be the opening shot of the greatest Indian murder trial of recent years occurred Tuesday morning when the sheriff served upon the county commissioners a writ of quo warranto to show cause before the supreme court of this state on Dec. 3 why they hold their office.

It is continued that on Jan. 2 last, when Gov. Johnson declared Mahonomet county an entity, there were less than 2,000 inhabitants in the county, and that the petition submitting to a vote the proposition of setting Mahonomet county off of Norman county did not contain signatures of a sufficient number of residents of the district to cause it to be set off.

NORTHWEST BRIEFS

PAYNESVILLE, Minn.—A Paynesville camp of the Sons of Veterans

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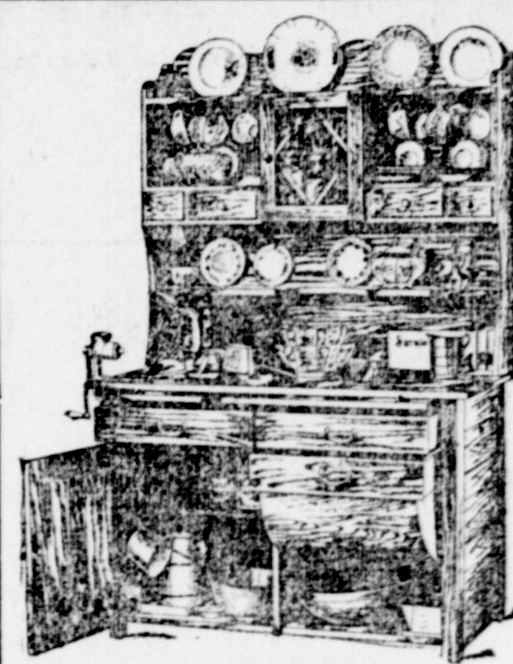
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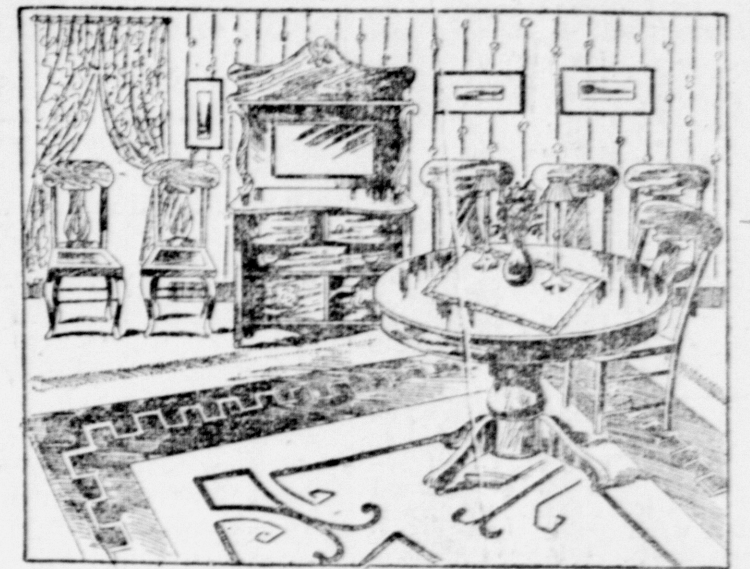
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will be organized at a meeting next Wednesday evening, when John Harrison, division commander of the state, or his deputy, will be present for the purpose of installing officers and taking the steps necessary for the organization of the camp.

LUVERNE, Minn.—Sheriff Black and his deputies are searching for F. J. Mooney, said to have passed four forged checks on business firms in this city during the carnival. All of the checks were for \$12.50 and the name of David Jones, a farmer residing near town, was signed to them.

REDWOOD FALLS, Minn.—John Glum of Sheridan township, near this city, was drawn into a Parsons self-feeder thresher feet foremost half the length of his body and was terribly lacerated. The accident was the result of young Glum's trying to push some flax which was not feeding well towards the knives of the feeder, using his right foot.

NORTHOME, Minn.—The woods adjacent to Northome will be the scene of considerable logging activity during the coming winter. Contractors already have begun preliminary work on their lumber camps and expect to have everything in readiness to begin operations before the snow flies. There will be at least eight or ten large camps in operation in this immediate vicinity this winter.

BLUE EARTH, Minn.—The Fairbault county commissioners have decided to place a steel dam at the out-

let of Walnut lake, the source of the last branch of the Blue Earth river. The lake has been so shallow of late that the fish would freeze during the winter months. The damming of the lake will be of great benefit to sportsmen and those seeking a pleasant summer resort.

WATERLOO, Ia.—John Klinehart, who lives north of Nashua, was impaled on a pitchfork yesterday afternoon, one of the times penetrating his intestines. Mr. Klinehart was walking along the road near his home carrying the fork with the tines toward his body. The handle met an obstacle and his body was penetrated.

MANKATO, Minn.—Samuel Mace, a prominent Decorah farmer, is suffering from a broken leg, dislocated knee and other injuries, due to an accident while plowing. The horses overturned his plow and dragged it over him. He stopped them and unchained them and climbed upon the back of one and rode home, but it was several hours before surgical assistance could be secured.

GRAND FORKS, N. D.—While hunting a few miles west of Rugby, Bert Sand, aged thirteen years, accidentally discharged his shotgun. The charge entered his leg, making a terrible wound. It was necessary to amputate the leg just below the knee.

PAYNESVILLE, Minn.—The six-year-old son of Joseph Lenners of this city is dead at his father's home in the northern part of the town,

the cause of the death being typhoid fever.

MANKATO, Minn.—Supreme Regent Van Sien and other supreme and grand officers of the Royal Arcanum visited the local council last night and witnessed the initiation of a class of twenty-two. A social time followed, with a banquet and speeches. The supreme officers went to Minneapolis today and from there will go to Duluth.

BARNESVILLE, Minn.—No. 405 local freight on the Great Northern between here and St. Paul jumped the track on this side of Osakis. No one was hurt. Some cars were badly smashed. All west-bound trains were held for two to three hours late.

ALBERT LEA, Minn.—The directors of the Freeborn County Agricultural society met and went over the accounts of the last fair. It was found that before compensating the officers there was a nice surplus, but not enough to make a payment on the permanent improvements made.

WASECA, Minn.—The fall term of district court for Waseca county convened here with Judge Buckham presiding. The grand jury returned an indictment against Rudolph Munson, charging murder in the second degree for the shooting of Mrs. Clifford Julian on the night of Sept. 14 in the Commercial house of this city.

WASECA, Minn.—During the three months ending Oct. 1, 1,959 women and 423 children were entertained at the rest room in this city.

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CHURCHES

English Lutheran.
The English Lutheran Church of the Holy Trinity, West avenue and Ferry street. The Rev. J. J. Clemens, pastor. The Luther league topic for the twenty-first Sunday after Trinity: "The Common Service." Subject for sermon in the morning, "Prevailing Prayer." In the evening, "The Open Door." Chief service with confession and Holy communion at 10:30 a. m.; Vesper service at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Luther league at 7 p. m. The Womens' home and Foreign Missionary society of the English Lutheran church will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Kindley.

Christ Episcopal.
Christ Episcopal church, Ninth and

Main streets, Rev. C. N. Moller, pastor.—Holy communion at 8 o'clock; morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 3:00 p. m. and evening service at 7:30 p. m.

Immanuel Evangelical Association.
Immanuel church of the Evangelical association, Twelfth and Vine streets, H. Etzelmueller, pastor. — Sunday school at 9:15; morning service at 10:30; Junior league at 2:15 p. m.; Young People's meeting at 6:45 p. m.; evening service at 7:30. Monday evening at 7:45.

First Congregational.
First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets, Henry Faville, pastor.—Worship 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Morning theme, "The Cure for Quitters." In the evening the pastor will give fifth sermon upon the churches of La Crosse. Topic, "Things I Like About the Jewish church. Sunday school at noon. Young People's meet-

ing at 6:30 p. m., with special program.

Y. M. C. A.
Y. M. C. A., 425 King street. Oliver J. Ash, acting secretary.—Men's meeting at 4 o'clock p. m. Rev. J. J. Clements, pastor of the English Lutheran church of the Holy Trinity, will address the meeting.

German Methodist.
German Methodist church, corner Seventh and Ferry, Y. L. Panzlau, pastor. Sunday school 9:15 in the morning, sermon, 10:30. Theme: "Little Sins."

Junior league in the afternoon; Epworth league 6:45 in the evening; Fred Miller will be the leader. Sermon 7:30; theme, "The Demoniac Healed." Wednesday evening the regular prayer meeting will be held. The young men's "Forward Movement club" will give an entertainment at the church parlors Thursday evening.

Trinity Lutheran.
Trinity Lutheran church, on Avon street.—Rev. F. T. Hoverstad, pastor. Services with communion Sunday morning at 11:30; English services in the evening at 7:30; Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Christian Scientist.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth.—Services at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday meeting at 7:45 p. m. Reading room open daily, except Sundays, from 2 to 5 p. m. in the church.

Norwegian Lutheran.
Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Charles and Hill streets, Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor.—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9 a. m.

First Baptist.
First Baptist church, Sixth street, between Main and King streets, Rev. J. Wellington Hoag, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 12 m.; Colton branch Sunday meeting at 2:00. Young Peoples' service at 6:30. Evening praise and preaching service at 7:30. After an absence of six weeks, Rev. Hoag will have charge of the services both morning and evening. Morning theme, "Lessons from the Five Thousand." Evening theme, "Applying the Mind to Religion."

Westminster Presbyterian.
Westminster Presbyterian church, Redfield street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, Rev. D. H. Rohrabach, pastor.—Services at 10:30 in the morning and 7:30 in the evening; Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation to all.

St. Paul's Universalist.
St. Paul's Universalist church, Eighth and Cass streets, Rev. J. S. Lowe, pastor.—Regular preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at noon; Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Subject of the morning sermon, "Endless Time." In the evening the second of three sermons on peace, the sub-

ject being "International Peace."

First Presbyterian.
First Presbyterian church, King and Sixth streets, Rev. J. K. Fowler, pastor. Morning sermon is on "Taking the City." At night the subject is "Paris Good and Bad, Light and Shade." Solos by Miss Hosley and Miss Inez Mumford. Services at 10:03 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 11:45; Grace Chapel school at 2:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.

First Methodist.
First Methodist Episcopal church, Eighth and King streets, James W. Irish, pastor.—Class meeting at 9:30 a. m.; morning worship at 10:30. Sermon subject, "The Oldest Drama in the World." Sunday school at noon; Epworth league at 6:30 p. m.; Miss Helen Vance leader. Evening worship at 7:30. Evening program: "Unfair Reports of a Cocktail Incident." Sermon subject, "The Best Secret Society."

Bethel Norwegian Lutheran.
Bethel Norwegian Lutheran church.—Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Laides' Aid Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. in the church parlors. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:45 p. m. O. L. Christensen, pastor.

Scandinavian Baptist.
Scandinavian Baptist church, corner Charles and Logan streets, Rev. H. M. Anderson, pastor.—Sunday services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 m.

St. Paul's Norwegian Lutheran.
St. Paul's Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of West avenue and Division, Rev. R. Anderson, pastor.—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 m. and 8 p. m., the last Sunday each month. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

German Evangelical Lutheran.
Emanuel German Evangelical Lutheran church, corner of Avon and St. Paul streets, Rev. G. M. Thuro, pastor.—Sunday services at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m., the last Sunday each month. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

German Lutheran.
German Lutheran church, corner of West and Cameron avenues, Rev. J. T. Gamm, pastor.—Services 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Tabernacle Baptist.
Services at Tabernacle Baptist church, Clinton and Avon streets, Leslie Lee Sanders, pastor.—10:30 a.

m., regular service at church; 7:45 p. m.

Caledonia Street M. E.
Caledonia street M. E. church, between Wall and Windsor streets, Rev. A. L. Wood, pastor.—Class meeting, 9:30 a. m. E. G. Parmenter, leader. Sunday school Rally day at 12 o'clock, noon, W. E. Hansen, superintendent. Epworth league at 6:30 p. m. Subject, "Hearing and Doing." Leader, Archie McKenzie. Morning worship with sermon by pastor on Sunday school work at 10:30; evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by the Rev. W. D. Thomas, D. D. All are cordially invited to these services. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

West La Crosse M. E.
West La Crosse M. E. church, Rev. A. L. Wood, pastor.—Services Sunday at 2 p. m.; Sunday school at 2 p. m.

St. Peter's Episcopal.
St. Peter's Episcopal church, corner of Avon and Logan streets, Rev. C. N. Moller of Christ church will preach at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

North Presbyterian.
North Presbyterian church, Avon and Logan streets.—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., conducted by the pastor; Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.; C. E. meeting 7:45 p. m.

LOOSE TALK IN HIGH PLACES.

(Chicago Tribune.)
A few days ago a minister of the gospel emphasized his indignation at the prevalence of heresy by declaring that it would be beneficial to mankind to return to the good old times and send all heretics to the scaffold or the stake. He would rekindle the fires of Smithfield and send up the sweet savor of a burnt offering that would be pleasing to an offended Deity. Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews has supplemented this zealous outburst of humility and peace by saying that hanging should be the punishment of every proved libeler, and that when a muckraker has so transgressed the proprieties as to assault the harmless rich the rope should be resorted to as a means of justice.

Coming at a time when capital punishment, even for human offenses of the most heinous variety, is looked upon with disfavor by many people, these cheery expressions of the duty of civilization and progress are likely to cause astonishment. Emanating from a minister of the gospel and a noted educator, the head of a state university, they may attract attention that would not be given to less prominent citizens. It is not presumed that a clergyman or a teacher of the young would make a jest of human life and speak of the torch and the gallows as if they were little measures of gentle correction necessary for minor offenses.

Of course Dr. Anderson is not a man to speak from an idle impulse, and doubtless he and his clerical brother are moved by the earnest reformatory spirit.

At the same time the suggestion will be eventually dismissed as the product of that looseness of talk which so impairs the efficiency of men who otherwise might be a power for good. When clergymen and educators, high in the councils of presumably distinguished thought, ramble on about the necessity of hanging libelers and burning unbelievers, it is not to be wondered at that men less intellectually equipped regard lightly the operations of lynch law and hastily considered justice.

On the other hand, thinking and intelligent men turn with disgust from these reckless and violent recommendations even while they laugh at their supreme foolishness. The civilized world of the twentieth century has no intention of going back to the methods of the seventeenth and eighteenth, and has little patience with the chatterer whose tongue runs away with ordinary discretion.

The muckraker and the heretic will doubtless receive their deserts in due time, but there will be no Tyburn for the one or Smithfield for the other. As for the distinguished

citizens who yearn for the shedding of human blood and see no remedy for human transgression save in torture and death, they may be left to the mercy of those who endure their vaporing.

From the Ladies' Salon.
Jacob Hope, the head of Philadelphia's famous phonograph school for parrots, said the other day: "There are worse things than a swearing parrot, and one was brought over on a German boat last month. His owner, a sailor, swore that this traveled bird knew no profanity, and a lady bought him."

"But she had to bring him to me. The parrot, though he didn't swear, had evidently spent most of his time on shipboard in the ladies' salon, for what he would do was this:

"For hours at a time he would choke and gasp and hicough as if he'd never stop, and then he'd sing out feebly, 'Steward—bucket!'" — Washington Star.

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SARAH TRUAX WILL BE HIT OF SEASON

ENGAGEMENT AT THEATRE TONIGHT AN IMPORTANT ONE

FOUR BIG PLAYS COMING

"Monte Carlo Girls" and "Under Southern Skies" Are Also Coming Attractions in La Crosse

Sarah Truax, in the delightfully engrossing and highly humorous three act drama from the pen of that gifted author, Hutchins, is at the La Crosse theatre today.

This promises to be one of the most notable offerings of the local theatrical season. Miss Truax is a distinguished artist. Her work in the past few seasons in such productions as "The Eternal City," "Man and Superman" and "The Prince of India" has been indelibly impressed on the tablets of her many admirers' memories. In "The Spider's Web" Miss Truax is said to have been given a role that perfectly fits her wonderful histrionic ability. The supporting company is composed of artists of brilliancy, many of whom are well-known to local showshoppers. Miss Truax is under the management of John Cort, whose thoroughness as a producer entitles all to anticipations of something far beyond the ordinary in stage-mounting and costuming.

"Under Southern Skies." One of the unusual features of Lottie Blair Parker's play of southern life is that the women of the cast outnumber the men. As a rule the reverse is the case in dramatic offerings. The presence of so many women upon the scene is one of the attractions of the play, especially as many of them are young and pretty. The birthday party of the youthful heroine, and the Halloween festivities, which include the carrying out of some amusing Halloween tricks and a Jack-o-lantern dance, give fine scope for showing the feminine members of the company to advantage. One of the funniest characters in the play is "Anner Lizer," who deserves to rank side by side with the immortal "Topsy." Aunt Doshy too, is a host of fun in herself; a typical southern "auntie"—one of the faithful slaves who clung to the family she loved, though free to leave them if she wished to do so. The south furnished many instances of this devotion upon the part of the older negroes. The part of the heroine, Lellie Crofton, a young southern belle, is a difficult one to enact, portraying as it does, all the emotions from gay and loving light heartedness, to most intense misery and grief. "Under Southern Skies" was written by a woman and it gives women greater opportunities for acting than three or four ordinary dramas. This very successful play will be seen at the La Crosse theatre on Tuesday, Oct. 22.

"WOODLAND," BIG MUSICAL HIT

"Woodland," that delightful novel musical play of the forest which seized tremendously on popular favor two seasons ago because of its originality, picturesqueness and its charming melodies, has been revived this season by Mr. Henry W. Savage, who is again placing it before the public as a result of a widely expressed demand. The public thoroughly enjoyed "Woodland"—it wishes to enjoy it again.

"Woodland" is wholly different from anything in the comic opera line hitherto seen on the American stage. It breathes the very spirit of the woods and in pictorial effect and musical expression is unique and pleasing.

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Great Artist, Supported by an Excellent Company in "The Spider's Web." La Crosse Theatre, Today.

HIS LAST DOLLAR SUNDAY OFFERING

GREAT RACING PLAY WILL APPEAL TO PATRONS

MR. HIGGINS IS A STAR

Play Is One of Strongest of Its Type and Is Very Ably Supported by the Company

"His Last Dollar," elaborated and exploited under the progressive management of E. D. Stair and Geo. H. Nicolai, now in its fifth season of uninterrupted success, will come to the La Crosse theatre tomorrow for afternoon and evening with David Higgins in the stellar role, supported by Mary Sawyers and a strong company, including: Thos. Reynolds, Frank Denithorn, Wm. Belfort Page Spencer, C. P. Eggleston, Allan Bailey, Emma Salvatore, Alma MacLaren, Bliss Millford and Molly Malcomb. Augmented by its splendid scenic equipment the play is one in which the authors, David Higgins and Dr. Baldwin G. Cooke, have by their united efforts, contributed to the stage a dramatic creation which has met with unbounded approval and is destined to live long in the hearts of play-goers.

The story of the play is one of intense heart interest, intermingled with bright touches of comedy, recounting the adventures of a young Kentuckian, Joe Braxton, played by Mr. Higgins, who began life as a jockey in the blue grass region, his successes in the far west as a cowboy and ranch owner, his trip to New York, where he is led into speculation by a false but trusted friend, who, aided by a designing woman, conspires to rob Joe of his wealth. His fortune is finally saved, however, by the winning of the Futurity

Race at Sheephead Bay by Mongrel, a 50 to 1 shot, upon whom Braxton is obliged to take the mount at the last moment at the entreaty of Eleanor Downs, the daughter of his old employer, her jockey being disabled just as the horses start for the post. Thoroughbred race horses are car-



Mr. David Higgins, Star in the Great Racing Play, "His Last Dollar," La Crosse Theatre, Tomorrow.

ried for this particular scene, which has been claimed by press and public as one of the cleverest bits of stage realism introduced in recent years. The scenic settings are beautiful and realistic, and the story not only tells a dainty and sweet romance but effervesces with sparkling comedy and dramatic situations.

Gustav Luders, the composer, never wrote more tunefully than in his "Woodland" score, while Frank Pixley hit a most happy idea in taking birds of the forest as the characters for a dainty comedy of love and war.

Read the Tribune's Want Ads.

BURLESQUE IS TO BREAK MONOTONY

MONTE CARLO GIRLS WILL DASH UPON SCENE

AT THE THEATRE MONDAY

Twenty-five People in Strong Gaiety Cast With Attractive Special Features.

There is a treat in store for those who attend the La Crosse theatre Monday night, Oct. 21, when The Monte Carlo Girls' Big Burlesque appears. The company numbering 25 people (mostly girls) is one of the best that has ever appeared at La Crosse, brimful of comical situations, good singing and high class vaudeville specialties, among whom we will mention a few: Truheart, Dillon and Burke, singing and dancing specialty Lew Golden, known as "The Hebrew Count," a Hebrew com-

Alice Dillon.



Vina Hart.



Eva Sullivan.



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edian whose parodies and funny sayings are the funniest ever; Dolly Glass, singing soubrette, petite and dainty; Will Kelly, who can whistle some and then some; Sullivan and Burns, two young ladies who will treat you to a surprise. Many other take part in the entertainment and help keep you laughing and entertaining.

BADGER TEACHERS MEET AT EAU CLAIRE

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Oct. 18.—Over 100 members of the Northwestern Wisconsin Teachers' association were welcomed to Eau Claire this morning at the Grand Opera house, where the meetings are to be held. An address of welcome was made by City Superintendent Schulz. The response was by Principal Schofield of Neillsville.

STAGING OF WAR SCENES DIFFICULT

BATTLES ON THE STAGE ARE WELL REPRESENTED

FIGHT IN THE "ROUND-UP"

Said to Excel in Effectiveness the Famous Scene in the Prince of India.

Battle scenes have long been a fruitful expedient of the dramatist, and they have always proved attractive to audiences. This was true in the old Elizabethan days, when the tragedies of the playwrights were filled with fighting, and even the mighty Shakespeare used war as a theme. His historical plays and several of the semi-historical plays are filled with battles.

The dramatist of today is no less ready to avail himself of this sure appeal to the patriotism of his hearers, so we have battle scenes which have all the semblance of reality, the advance in stagecraft enabling the producer to counterfeit warfare with much fidelity to actual conflict. In Edmund Day's melodrama, "The Roundup," there is an example of mimetic battle which has not been surpassed in intensity and thrill. The conflict is between a body of Indians bent on massacre and bloodshed and a troop of United States cavalry sent to rescue two men who are wandering in the great desert of Arizona.

The realism of this scene dwarfs the struggle between Christian and Muslim in "The Prince of India," one of the most remarkable battle scenes ever presented.

All war plays do not involve scenes of carnage, but the grim spirit of battle is felt, if it is not seen. In "Secret Service" the tension of the situation—the occasional shot, the mystery of the telegraph—made amends for the absence of actual war, and in "Held by the Enemy" Gillette held attention and captured hearts without the trappings of battle.

The dramatist devises the big effect usually in a battle scene, and the



SCENE FROM A TYPICAL STAGE BATTLE.

stage director looks after details. And it frequently happens that an incident of the stage director's manufacture lives longer in the memory than the sweep of battle and the final outcome of the scene. Thus in the Litt production of "Shenandoah" one episode in the battle scene has made an impression which time cannot efface. The scene shows a roadway along which the leaderless army is retreating in a panic. At the critical juncture Sheridan, mounted on a black charger, dashes to the front, having been hastily summoned from Winchester, and his superb courage turns defeat into victory. The dispirited men take heart, and the cannon which they were dragging after them is faced about, taken up on a little hillock and set to work with right good will. The wadding gives out in the heat of the battle, and the gunner strips himself of his red flannel shirt and uses it for wadding. This incident caused more comment during the run of "Shenandoah" than anything else in the play. It was the man with the red shirt that every one wanted to see, and he was merely an auxiliary man.

So in "A Fair Rebel," a play which had quite a good deal of vogue some twelve or fifteen years ago, there was an incident which has been remembered even though the plot of the play and most of its action are forgotten. In the battle scene it became necessary for word to be sent back to headquarters, and a hastily rigged telegraph instrument is set to work. The line-man climbed to the top of the pole, cut the wires and made the connection in order that the danger in which the body of the army was placed might be recorded in the general's tent. Just as the man concluded his labors and the keys began to tick, showing that communication had been effected, a bullet struck the brave worker, and he fell headlong from his lofty perch. The incident was extremely effective and always caused a shudder to run through the audience.

Boarder—You can divide a chicken with mathematical accuracy, Mrs. Washington.

Mrs. Washington—Dividing it is easy enough. I wish I could multiply it.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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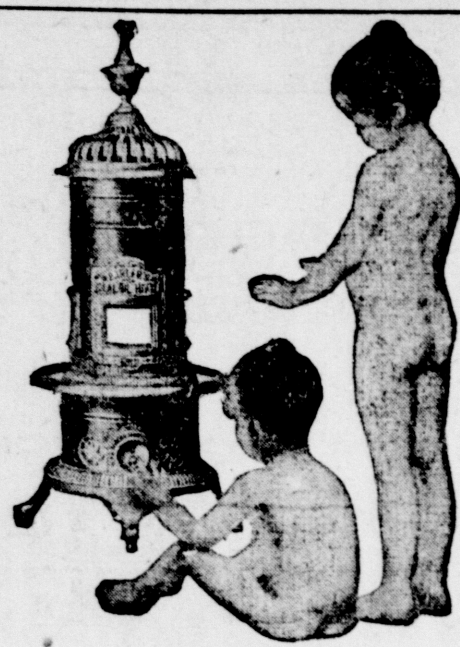
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SOCIETY

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tainments. Country rides, picnics and
auto trips having taken their place.
A few of the clubs have been reor-
ganized and cards and literary clubs
will soon be in line. Several out-of-
town guests are being entertained
at small and informal functions.
Church people have been busily en-
gaged with their various rummage
sales. There are a few more still to be
heard from before the windup.

PASS RESOLUTIONS
The D. A. R. passed the following
resolutions for the late Mrs. Angus
Cameron:

Whereas, It has pleased our Heav-
enly Father to call home the found-
er and first regent of our Chapter,
Mary Baker Cameron, be it

Resolved, That we, as a chapter,
express our appreciation of her un-
failing interest and earnest endeav-
ors to sustain the work of the
Daughters of the American Revolution.
Resolved, That we extend to her

bereaved family our deepest sym-
pathy in the loss of one whose gracious
presence and kindly tact will ever be
a precious memory to all who knew
her.

Resolved, That a copy of these re-
solutions be sent to the family and
to the local papers and spread upon
the minutes of the chapter.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARIES.
Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Adolph
Candrian entertained twenty-six of
her friends in honor of her birthday.
The guests enjoyed a social after-
noon. A pleasant musical program
was given by Miss Irma Candrian.
Yesterday afternoon John Brin-
dley, Jr., had a few of his friends in
to supper to celebrate his ninth
birthday. The guests were Ellen
Hankerson, Harriet Scofield, Lucile
Houtmaker, Burton James, Don Gor-
don and Wallace and Theodore Mon-
tague.

CHURCH SOCIETIES.
The Laides' Aid society of the
First Methodist church will meet at
the church parlors Thursday at 3 p.
m. Mesdames Burke, J. A. L. Brad-
field and Asplin will entertain.
The Epworth league of the First

Methodist church will give a reception
Friday evening, Oct. 26, to the stu-
dents of the business colleges to
which not only they but all the
young people are cordially invited.
Program and refreshments. No
charge.

The Ladies' society of the First
Presbyterian church is to be enter-
tained next Monday at 3 p. m. by
Mrs. H. E. Horne and Mrs. W. G.
Moss at the home of the former, 115
South Tenth street.

MRS. DOERFLINGER ENTERTAINS
Mrs. William Doerflinger pleasantly
entertained a company of ladies
Thursday evening at the Bob White
cottage, in honor of the Misses Reu-
derbush and Weber of Mayville, Wis.
who have been visiting here for the
past few days.
Refreshments were served and all
enjoyed a delightful afternoon.

**HOLD LINEN SHOWER
FOR BRIDE-TO-BE.**

Miss Tessie Schaller entertained a
number of friends at a linen shower
last evening at her home, 1311 South
Fourth street, in honor of Miss Tes-
sie Gould, who will be wedded next
Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock at
the St. Joseph's church to Mr. Roy
Collins, a conductor on the South-
eastern railroad. Rev. G. Sluyter
will perform the ceremony.
Miss Gould was the recipient of a
large number of beautiful and use-
ful presents, about thirty friends
being present.
The evening was spent with games
and other amusements and refresh-
ments were served.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
The engagement of Miss Carolyn
Hansen and Mr. William J. Hickisch
is announced. The wedding will take
place in December.

**PASTORS CLASS HOLD
SOCIAL AT M. E. CHURCH**

A delightful social was held in the
parlors of the First M. E. church
Tuesday evening by the members of
the Pastor's class. The class was en-
tertained by Mesdames John Cross,
B. S. Steadwell, Harpell, Levi King
and James Kerr. The decorations
were autumnal in character, consist-
ing of leaves and grasses and im-
mense pumpkins. Ghost stories and
instrumental music were furnished
and a general social time enjoyed.
The entertainment was presided over
by "real ghosts." Delicious refresh-
ments were served at 11 o'clock.
There were about forty present.

COFFEES.
The Mesdames Melinda and Eleanor
Funk entertained a few guests at a
coffee yesterday afternoon. The
guests of honor were Miss Rueder-
busch and Miss Webber of Mayville,
Wis.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

Miss Lillian Kroner entertained
the Tuesday Afternoon Embroidery
club this week.
Mrs. C. E. Winslow entertained the
Wednesday Afternoon Five Hundred
club this week. Mrs. Frank E. Smith
took the head prize. Mrs. A. R.

Hunt of State street will be the next
hostess.

Mrs. M. E. Mosher will entertain
the Monday Afternoon Embroidery
club next week.

The Eleven-five, Five Hundred
club will meet next Tuesday at the
residence of Mrs. Bauer.

COMING AND GOING.

Mr. C. S. Van Auker who went
east to attend the funeral of his
mother, returned last evening. He
was accompanied by his sister, Mrs.
Van Dusen who will be here a month.

Miss Louise Harrison will leave
Monday for St. Louis, where she will
be bridesmaid at the wedding of Mr.
T. D. Cleague, nephew of Mrs. L. A.
Harrison. She will be absent three
weeks.

Mrs. Frank E. Davis has returned
from Minneapolis, where she spent a
week.

**ROMADKA CASE COUP;
HUSBAND IS LOYAL**

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 19.—A sensa-
tional coup on the part of the prose-
cution in the case of Mrs. Evelyn
Romadka became known when it was
learned that two secret examinations
as to her sanity, conducted by Dr.
Harold N. Moyer, the alienist, re-
sulted in assurances to the prosecu-
tion's attorney that the prisoner was
mentally sound. "The woman is no
more insane than anyone else," is
the epitome of the report made by
Dr. Moyer.

This testimony is counted upon in
smash the supposed defense of in-
sanity which it is thought will be put
forward by Mrs. Romadka's counsel
and for which preparations have
been made.

Romance Prompted Robbery.
"With the insanity theory re-
moved from your hypothesis, what is left
to account for the career of burglary
and robbery to which Mrs. Romadka
confessed?" was asked of Assistant
State's Attorney Clifford Roe.

"Romance," said the assistant
state's attorney, briefly. "Romance
did it. She has that sort of a tem-
perament. She told me so, and I
confirmed it. She read about socie-
ty raffles and sleuths and that
sort of thing until she tried it her-
self from a desire to see how it
would work. Later on she encoun-
tered Jones, her colored confederate,
and he taught her how to work
smoothly."

Dr. Moyer said: "I will say only
that I saw her on two different oc-
casions and talked to her both times."

Romadka Seeks Reconciliation.
The case took a new turn today
when Mrs. Romadka in her cell at
the county jail received a special-
delivery letter from her husband in
Milwaukee, suing for a reconcilia-
tion.

**GOFF HELD FOR TRIAL
IN COAL LAND CASES**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 19.—
United States Court Commissioner
Francis Bloodgood yesterday held for
trial, under the indictment returned
by the Denver United States grand
jury last spring against Milwaukee
officers and stockholders of the Fed-
eral Coal and Iron company and the
Wisconsin Coal Mining company,
Chauncey Lloyd Jones and Elias Ar-
nold of the Federal company, and T.
J. Peres, J. M. Peres, Guy D. Goff
and Charles F. Hunter of the Wis-
consin company, Henry Wehr,
Walter S. Johnson, Charles E. Can-
right and Charles S. Carter of the
Wisconsin company were discharged.

**Y. W. C. A. CLASSES
ARE FILLING UP**

The Young Women's Christian As-
sociation Glee club will hold its first
meeting at 7:45. There is no fee for
this meeting and it is for young
women who sing or wish to learn to
sing.

Miss Lucy Hogan will lead. The
other classes are filling up, with the
exception of the sewing class, which
must have a larger registration.

Several gifts were presented yes-
terday as follows: Two sofa pillows,
blanket, rug, magazines and pillow
case.

**EAU CLAIRE MAN
TENDERED RECEPTION**

Peter J. Smith, assistant postmas-
ter at Eau Claire, Wis., returned
home today. Last night he was
tendered a reception at the hall of
the Independent Scandinavian Work-
ingmen's society hall.

Time sometimes works rapid
changes. That word "affinity"
which went into 1907 looking like a
lily, will emerge the complexion of
soft coal.

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A very choice line of Fancy Stripes and
Plaids in waist pattern
lengths, per yard at **98c**

Good quality Taffeta Silks in
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gowns, per yard at **\$1.00**

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Wool Batiste and Tricot Flannels in
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**DOG FOLLOWS
MISTRESS MONTHS**

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—There is a
happy girl and there is a contented
dog at 235 North Clark street today.
The girl is May Clark and the dog
is Trixie.

A year ago last June Miss Clark,
who was then living in San Fran-
cisco, was presented with a puppy
only a few weeks old, which she
named Trixie. She had neither fath-
er, brothers nor sisters, and she and
her mother came to love the dog.
When winter came they moved to
Columbus, Ohio, and, of course,
Trixie was taken along.
She left for Chicago in February
leaving Trixie behind with friends.

Yesterday in Chicago May Clark
and her mother saw a big black and
white dog sniffing eagerly at the
door of a hardware store at which
May had made some purchases the
day before.

"That dog looks like Trixie," said
May.

"He is marked like him," said her
mother, "but he is much larger."

The dog pricked up his ears whirled
around and looked at them.

"As we stood there looking at him
and he stood looking at us," said
Mrs. Clark, "until May said in a low
voice, 'Why, I believe it is Trixie,'
and then he jumped on us and al-
most knocked May down and go-
mud all over our clothes, but we
didn't care a bit."

It was Trixie sure enough, lean

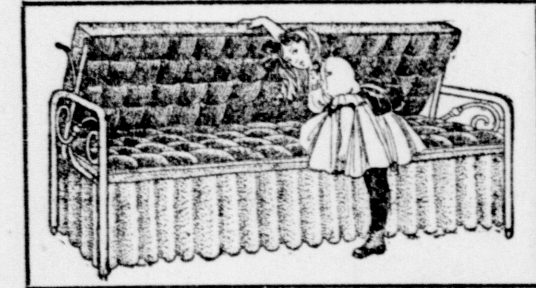
and dirty and ravenous, and grown
to full doghood, but just as dear to
May Clark as the fat little puppy
that refused to stay in Columbus
without her.

One of the hardest things to do is
raise money when you just have to
have it.
A man seldom thinks he is as bad
as he is—or as good as his wife
thinks he is.

A CHILD CAN OPERATE IT!

With the coming of the winter weather comes the longing for indoor
comforts—nothing could add more to the pleasures of the winter home life
than a Somersaultic Davenport. It's comfortable—cost no more than others
—and is made to stand the wear and tear of constant use—it is practical
and economical.

**This is not the Old Style Folding Bed or Bed Couch, but some-
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Or We Miss Our Guess.**

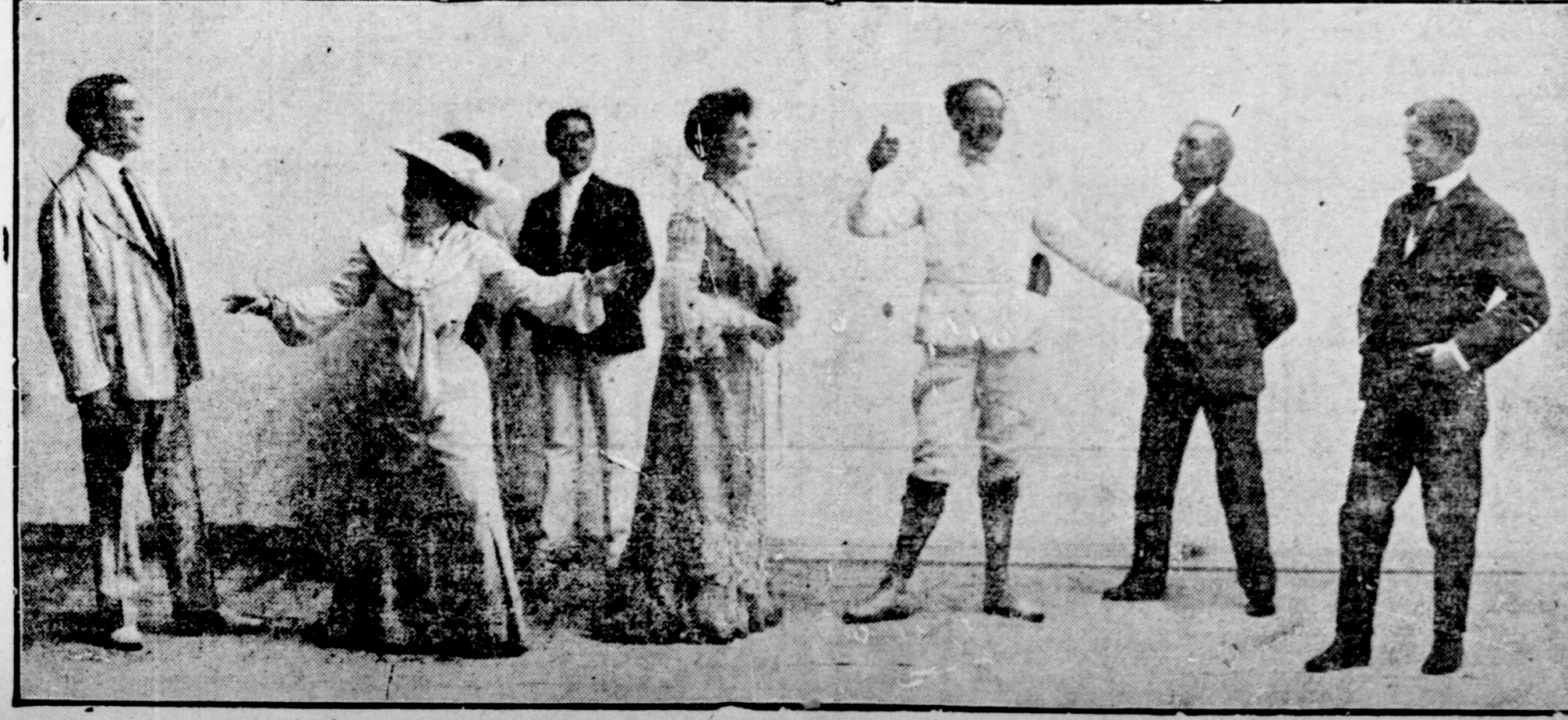


- 1st—It has 8 coil springs in its construction.
- 2nd—It has a good cotton felt elastic mattress.
- 3rd—You do not have to pull it away from the wall to open it.
- 4th—When in use the upholstered part is out of the way.
- 5th—When open it is so constructed that there is a place to tuck the
quilts at the foot, and piece so the pillows will stay in place.
- 6th—It can be had with the solid oak ends or all steel and brass.

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"I herewith enclose you one of my latest photographs, which will show you what Newbro's Herpicide has done for my hair. Since using your remedy my hair is much longer than it was, and it has that luster to it that one's hair always has when their scalp is in a healthy condition."

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LOVE OF PET DOG COSTS MAN'S LIFE

A boyish effort to save his pet dog from being shot resulted in Joseph Johnson, aged 15, accidentally shooting and killing his brother, Oscar Johnson, aged 20, near Chaseburg.

The elder Johnson took the dog, old and shaky, into the barnyard for the purpose of ending its misery, followed by his crying smaller brother. The first shot failed to kill the animal and it ran howling under a tobacco shed. Laying down the shotgun Oscar went to pull the dog out, where he might finish the job. Meanwhile the little brother grabbed the

gun, containing the other charge, which was to end the life of his pet, and ran screaming to the house. Julius, another older brother, and Oscar ran after him, and struggled for possession of the gun. In the tussle the other barrel was discharged, blowing off the top of Oscar Johnson's head.

Another pathetic feature of the case was the fact that the farm was sold at auction by the sheriff of Vernon county while the corpse of the young man was in the house. The mother was a widow and the three sons had fought a losing battle to keep the home. The day of the sheriff's sale was the one following the tragedy.

At the Lawyer's.

"How much do I owe you?"
Well, I knew your father well and I like you, my boy; so we'll call it, say, fifty marks."

"Gosh, I'm glad you didn't know my granddad, too!"

A Card.

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BILLION MORE FOR AMERICAN FARMER

PRESIDENT STAHL SAYS PROSPERITY IS SOUND

IS NOT LIKE CORPORATIONS

Farmers' Congress Hears of Profitable Season in Which Profit Is Real Money

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 19.—"The year drawing to a close has been one of unusual seasonable vicissitudes," said President John M. Stahl in addressing the Farmers' congress.

"In some sections heavy crop losses have resulted from insects and unseasonable weather, yet, because of higher prices, the farmers of the United States will receive almost or quite \$1,000,000,000 more for their crop than they did last year. I can congratulate you on your great material progress for the year.

"Unlike that of the captains of high finance, stock manipulators, buyers of governing officials, our wealth is clean. Every dollar made means that much more to feed and clothe mankind; that much more for comfort and happiness.

Farmer and Almighty Being.
"Our wealth is made in close partnership with the Almighty Being. Our wealth is made in harmony with the laws of nature. Our wealth is wealth created, a gain, a wealth where that much wealth did not exist before.

Hits Subsidy and High Tariff.
"This congress has heartily condemned the ship subsidy steal, and should condemn it at this session. That steal is not dead. If we are not careful, it will yet slip through congress. But what our shipbuilders need is not alms, but justice.

"There is no need, there is no justification for a duty on borax or for such a duty on steel that a powerful trust has a monopoly of the home market and can charge our shipbuilders a half more than they charge the British.

McKinley was right at Buffalo.
"Let us reciprocate. Let us trade the duty on borax, and some of it on steel for wider, easier markets for the products of our farms."

"But we are not to be congratulated alone on our wealth. No other class is being so thoroughly and widely educated in the broadest sense of the word; no other class has such provision for education in its special work.

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stations and some fifty colleges, highly equipped and liberally supplied with funds.

Why Nations Decay.

"From the days of Babylon, Egypt, Persia, Greece and Rome it has been made plain that nations decay and fall or live and prosper as the few rich and strong gain or the many gather strength out of weakness and gain and hold just laws and fair conditions.

Good citizenship, as well as regard for our interests as farmers, will lead us to inquire into some of the ways and means of giving, as far as may be, each and all righteous laws, fair conditions, and full and free opportunity.

Eternal vigilance is yet the price of liberty."

Cling to the Bible.
"In our country homes are still found the simple, sweet old faith. In them the Bible is read and the highest morals are inculcated.

"Truly, in the farmers is yet to be found that training that produces the highest type of manhood and womanhood and upon which the country must rely."

More than 1,000 delegates were present.

H. D. Watson, Kearney, Neb., delivered an address on Dry Farming showing how the principles developed could be used to advantage even in regions where the rainfall usually is sufficient.

Congressman Edgar C. Ellis, Kansas City, Mo., delivered an address on Inland Waterways transportation.

Just Had to Talk.

It was a real hardship for Judge Brown to have to keep silent for any length of time. Even when traveling he usually found some one who would at least listen while he talked. But on one occasion he found himself in a railway coach with only one other occupant—a stiff, dignified old lady who did not deign even to look at him when he raised his hat upon entering the coach.

The judge grew restless after they had traveled several miles. He drummed on the windows, coughed several times, then finally, in desperation, cleared his throat, and asked in stentorian tone:

"Madam, did it ever occur to you to wonder whether it had ever rained any before the time of the flood?"

The unusual question startled the old lady out of her dignified silence and the two old people were soon engaged in animated conversation.—Cleveland Leader.

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"Out of sight, out of mind." is an old saying which applies with special force to a sore, burn or wound that's been treated with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's out of sight, out of mind and out of existence. Piles too and chilblains disappear under its healing influence. Guaranteed by O. T. Erhart, Druggist, 25c.

Mother—If you marry Robert, I swear that I'll never set foot in your house!

Daughter—Please put that down in writing. I'd like to give your promise to Robert for a wedding present.—Meggendorfer Blätter.

Read The Tribune Want Ads.



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WILLIAM M. IVINS.

TWO LEADING FIGURES IN NEW YORK TRACTION INQUIRY.

WILLIAM M. IVINS is the official inquisitor of the New York public service commission in the inquiry it is making into the operation of the traction companies of Greater New York. He was the Republican candidate for mayor of New York in 1905. Peter A. B. Widener is a prominent member of the group of financiers concerned in the remarkable transactions described by Anthony N. Brady in his testimony before the

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GET WORD FROM MAN'S RELATIVES

GEORGE NEILAND WIRES ABOUT
WINONA SUICIDE

DEAD MAN MAY BE BROTHER

Is Probably Enroute to Winona for
Body; If Not it Will be
Buried There.

The authorities who have been trying for the past two days to locate relatives of Henry Nieland, who committed suicide on a Northwestern train a short distance west of Winona on Tuesday, believe that they have located a brother of the deceased.

A telegram came to the Northwestern road asking him for information and a description of the suicide.

The telegram was from George Nieland of Verona, Wis., who said that he believed that the suicide was his brother.

Coroner Steinbach telegraphed Mr. Nieland at once giving full details concerning the suicide.

Up to a late hour Coroner Steinbach had received no reply from his message and it is believed that George Nieland is now en route to Winona to take charge of the remains of his brother.

The remains of Henry Nieland are still held by the undertaker under orders from Coroner Steinbach in hopes that relatives of the man may be found and that the remains may be turned over to them.

If no word is heard from George Nieland of Verona it is very likely that Coroner Steinbach will order the remains buried at Woodlawn cemetery.

KILLS A CONVICT IS DRIVEN INSANE

WAUSAU, Wis., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—The accidental killing of a tramp whom he was taking to jail has so preyed on the mind of Richard Beyreis, and affected his wife, that they intend to sell their farm near Milan and leave this section. The man who has turned out to be an escaped prisoner from the Medford jail, whose home is in Manitowoc, was found sleeping in Beyreis' house. In taking him to jail with a neighbor, Beyreis was forced to shoot the man in self defense. The coroner's jury returned that verdict.

SUES MOTHER-IN-LAW

WATERLOO, Ia., Oct. 19.—Another chapter has been written in the Heisler wife-beating case at Parkersburg. Mr. Will Heisler, who was beaten into insensibility by her husband a few days ago, has started suit against her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Heisler, charging them with alienation of affections and asking \$20,000 damages. Will Heisler is held to the grand jury under bonds of \$15,000 on a charge of assault with intent to murder. Mrs. Heisler is just recovering from two broken ribs, a fractured nose, face pounded to jelly and other injuries. She also has commenced action for divorce. She says the whole trouble was caused by interference on the part of Will Heisler's parents.

NOT IF WE KNOW IT

(Pittsburg Dispatch.)

It would be amusing, if it were not irritating, to observe the industrious manufacture of printed matter to secure the enrollment of the United States with Japan. The latest is the announcement which purports to come via St. Petersburg that Gen. Linevitch, commander of the Russian forces in Siberia, will, on the occasion of Secretary Taft's visit there, propose an alliance between the United States and Russia for the purpose of overcoming Japan.

We have heretofore noted that newspaper campaign bears all the earmarks of Russian inspiration, with probably a German backing, to embroil Japan and the United States in a conflict from which, if it were possible, both those empires would find their profit. But it may be doubted if Gen. Linevitch has expressed or entertained any such purpose. He has the reputation of being an officer of intelligence and education. He must from his position, have some knowledge of official and international propriety. He can be presumed to know that for a military commandant to propose to the war secretary of another nation an offensive alliance against a third government with which both are at peace would be a piece of brutal ill breeding that could evoke nothing but a severe rebuff. The story is probably the pure product of the war fake factory designed to inflame Japanese enmity. If there were any reality to it, it would be sufficient warning for Secretary Taft to cut Siberia out of his itinerary.

But a detail of the yarn provokes further comment. Gen. Linevitch is reported to have publicly declared: "I would rather present the whole of Siberia to the Americans that give the Japanese burial ground for a single soldier." What! Make us a present of Siberia! Not if we see him coming with it first.

His Mistake.

"He hasn't succeeded in his political ambitions."
"No, the trouble with him is that he apes the swell people."
"That's not the trouble. He might ape the swell people all he pleased if he didn't afterwards monkey with the plain people."—The Catholic Standard and Times.

MAGILLS ACQUITTED ON FIRST BALLOT

TESTIMONY OF THE DAUGHTER
FREES FATHER

JURY BELIEVES THE LETTERS

First Wife Was a Suicide, According
to Verdict—Prison Yawned Until
Girl Took Witness Stand

DECATUR, Ill., Oct. 19.—Banker Fred Magill of Clinton and his bride, the former Miss Faye Graham, were acquitted last night of the charge of murdering Magill's first wife, Pet Magill, who died last May. The jury was out only a few minutes and one ballot decided the case.

It was the testimony of Marguerite Magill, the 19-year-old daughter of Fred and Pet Magill, that saved her father and step-mother. The jury believed also that the letters introduced as having been left by Pet Magill were not forgeries and that Mrs. Magill committed suicide.

Woman Died May 31.
On May 31 of this year Mrs. Magill was found dead at her home in Clinton, and it was supposed that she had committed suicide.

The circumstances surrounding the case were of a strange nature, but the authorities paid no attention to it until news came to Clinton that Fred Magill and Faye Graham had been married in Denver, and this was but little over four weeks after his wife's death.

When word was received of the marriage on July 5 an investigation was started by the Clinton authorities, and the result was that Magill and his bride were arrested in San Diego, Cal., on July 13 and brought to Clinton and indicted by the grand jury. The charge was first degree murder. The investigation, it is said, showed that Mrs. Magill had been poisoned by chloroform.

Letters Left by Suicide.
When brought back to Clinton, Magill brought forth letters which he claimed had been written by his wife before her death, in which she lauded him to the skies as the best of husbands, and in the final letters, which he claimed were written just before her death, she spoke in glowing terms of Faye Graham, and even went so far as to advise him to marry Faye.

In contradiction to the statements of Magill, the friends of the dead woman declared that she was of a cheerful disposition, and a woman extremely unlikely to kill herself. On the night before her death she had been riding with her husband, and appeared cheerful. It was Magill who found her dead body next morning, when he said he had found the notes planned to her nightdress. These notes the prosecution tried to prove forgeries.

A REAL PRESS AGENT STORY

The stories of actresses losing their diamonds, jewelry, gold watches, etc., have become so common that newspaper men are inclined to look with suspicion on these varied tales, but there is one, in the vernacular of the police reporter, that is "on the level." Miss Gertrude Quinlan closed her engagement with "The College Widow" at St. Louis. She had been living in one of the well-known hotels in that city. While she slept Miss Quinlan was relieved of a purse containing \$300. She made complaint to the hotel management and the house detective was put on the job without success. Miss Quinlan promptly put in a claim for damages and left for New York to take an important role in Mr. Henry W. Savage's latest comic opera, "Tom Jones," and awaited developments. A few days later she received word that the hotel refused to entertain a claim for damages unless she could describe the bills, giving the denomination and number of each. Miss Quinlan says she will try to worry along without the \$300.

BUILDING COMPLETED

ALBERT LEA, Minn., Oct. 19.—The new addition to Albert Lea college is soon to be completed and then the crowded condition of the college buildings can be somewhat relieved, as the new part will provide room for several of the students as well as the department of music and harmony. The principal, Miss Mary L. Marquis, has been called to Pittsburg on account of the probably fatal illness of her sister, and the work in the college is somewhat delayed in consequence, but she is expected in a few days, after which arrangements will be made for the formal dedication of the new building.

It is easy to get into crooked ways when you test all things by the dollar sign.

NOTRE DAME LADY'S APPEAL

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbago, backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia pains, to write to her for a home treatment which has repeatedly cured all of these tortures. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers FREE. You cure yourself at home as thousands will testify—no change of climate being necessary. This simple discovery banishes uric acid from the blood, loosens the stiffened joints, purifies the blood, and brightens the eyes, giving elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the above interests you, for proof address, Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, Notre Dame, Ind.

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DEPUTY MARSHAL ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

WATERLOO, Ia., Oct. 19.—The trial of Deputy Marshal Charles D. Baumgardner of Vinton for the murder of Frank Finley while endeavoring to effect his arrest, is occupying the attention of Benton county and vicinity. The town is evenly divided as to the outcome and feeling is intense.

Baumgardner was acting in his official capacity on the night of July 4, 1907, and about midnight was called to quell a disturbance in a gambling joint conducted by Frank Finley. The officer was handled very roughly, knocked down, kicked and beaten, and was deprived of his club.

Fearing for his life he drew his revolver and fired. The bullet struck Frank Finley, piercing his silk handkerchief sixteen times and carrying a portion of it into the wound. Blood poisoning developed and he died of tetanus a week later.

DES MOINES, Ia.—Gen. M. H. Byers of this city is quite generally favored for the position of brigadier general of the Iowa guards, made necessary by the Dick bill. He was formerly adjutant general.

MOORHEAD, Minn.—Building operations at Dilworth have now begun in earnest. John Swanson of Wisconsin is erecting a large hotel and a contract for twenty-one houses has been let. The town well is about completed, with a bountiful supply of excellent water.

"U" FACULTY TO ATTEND SESSION

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Nine members of the faculty of the University of Wisconsin representing eight different departments of instruction, will take part in the program of the State Teachers' association, in convention at Milwaukee, Nov. 7-9.

Prof. Frederick J. Turner of the American history department will have an address on "Essentials in American History," and Prof. Edward A. Ross, head of the sociology department, will speak on "Education and Society." Prof. E. C. Elliott, in charge of the work in education, will lead discussion in the supervisory section, and H. K. Bassett of the same department will discuss the preparation of teachers for secondary schools.

A paper on "New Chemistry Can be Made of Value in the Secondary Schools" will be read by Prof. Louis Kahlenberg, and the discussion in the science department will be led by Prof. S. J. Holmes, zoologist. Rosster G. Cole, the new head of the school of music, will give an address on "The Place of Music in Education." Prof. E. B. Skinner, mathematics department, will lead discussion in the mathematics section. Caroline L. Hunt, head of the home economics department, has a paper on "The Responsibilities and Opportunities of the Teacher of Teacher of Domestic Science."

The university orchestra will furnish musical programs for two sessions of the convention.



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IN INSANE ASYLUMPROMINENT CAPT. HIRE MEETS
WITH MISFORTUNE

ALL THE LANSING NEWS

Death Claims Old Resident—Popu-
lar People Wed—City Is Finan-
cially Prosperous

LANSING, Ia., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—A story is told to the effect that Capt. Peter Hire, the well known river pilot, once a resident of Lansing, is now confined in the insane asylum at Independence, where he was taken about a year ago from Dubuque. He is completely paralyzed, his speech gone, and his mind a blank. His wife resides at Princeton, Ia. Capt. Hire was one of the best known pilots on the river and had charge of the wheel on some of the best rafters on the river, as well as passenger packets. Two seasons back he was on the excursion steamer J. E. He was known as an excellent pilot, one who was brave and fearless under difficulties, and whose knowledge of the river was such that he usually had good success in the handling of rafts and boats in his charge. The sad misfortune which has overtaken Captain Hire we are certain, be deplored by everyone who knows him here, when they learn that his condition is utterly hopeless.

CARNIVAL ASSN.
WANTS BALL GROUND

The Carnival association are making preparations to assume control of the baseball grounds next year, feeling that the income therefrom should go to them on account of the many improvements they have put on the same. The entire receipts from games played the past year have gone to the club and this notwithstanding they are heavily in debt and have made little or no attempt to pay off this indebtedness.

LARS AUFINSON
DIES AT HIS HOME

Lars Aufinson died at his home on section 24 in Paint Creek township on Oct. 5, 1907, at the advanced age of 80 years 3 months and 6 days. He was born in Gol, Hollingdal, Norway, March 6, 1827, and left the seafaring shores of the Scandinavian peninsula in 1870, landing at Lansing, Ia., in July of the same year, his family being comprised of wife and four children. The residue of his purse when he arrived at his destination with his care in a strange and foreign land was not in the least inviting, it being "six cents." With a brawny arm the heritage of the ancient viking race, and the aid of his helpmate and little ones he gradually became the owner of piece after piece of Paint Creek's and Taylor's virgin soil, until he had at the end of a long and strenuous life acquired 190 acres of unencumbered land. Deceased was a man of quiet habits, peaceable and unassuming. Leaning on his staff he walked to the house of God alone while powerful horses and those of younger blood remained idle at home. The immediate cause of death was apoplexy. Six sons and one daughter with the widow survive a kind and faithful consort and parent. Pastor Grevillid conducted the funeral services on the 7th, when the weary form of the aged pilgrim was laid to rest in the cemetery of the old East Paint Creek church. A long funeral procession of friends and sympathizers followed the hearse from his rural home to his last and peaceful home in the "silent city."

CITY HAS SURPLUS

The monthly report of City Treasurer Chas. Kerudt shows the following funds on hand:

In general fund	\$ 586.17
Health fund	76.88
Water bond fund	71.15
Sewer fund	243.95
Water works fund	384.40
Total on hand, all funds	\$1,344.55

OLD SOAKERS

Get Saturated With Caffeine. When a person has used coffee for a number of years and gradually declined in health, it is time the coffee should be left off in order to see whether or not that has been the cause of the trouble.

A lady in Huntsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years had had severe stomach trouble. "I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed to give relief. I was prostrated for some time, and came near dying. When I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured on my stomach."

"I finally concluded that coffee was the cause of my troubles and stopped using it. I tried tea in its place and then milk but neither agreed with me; then I commenced using Postum, had it properly made and it was very pleasing to the taste."

"I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia."

"I have found the cause of my troubles and a way to get rid of them. You can depend upon it I appreciate Postum." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville" in page.

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CEMETERY REPORT.

A report of the Oak Hill Cemetery association is as follows:

Mowing grass	\$148.50
Trimming & removing trees	18.00
Gravel	5.55
Lumber for new foundation under summer house	22.85
Carpenter work	14.75
Nails, paint and oil	11.58
Painting	11.48
Drayage	.75
Repairs to lawn mowers	1.40
Stationary and postage	1.70
Total	\$239.01

GELO-MOLLERMAN NUPTIALS.

At the German Presbyterian parsonage Tuesday, occurred the marriage of Arnold Mollerman and Miss Elizabeth Gelo. The groom is the son of John Mollerman, while the bride is a young lady highly respected in her home community, Center township. They boarded the train here Tuesday morning for a trip to Wisconsin points. Upon their return they will go to housekeeping on the John Mollerman farm in this township.

BRIEF AND PERSONAL.

Trayer's orchestra played for a dance at Waukon Friday evening. George Trayer and Lorraine Marquardt returned the first of the week from Chicago, where they went to view the tall buildings and such. There's trouble brewing already, and that, too, before the domino and card party season has had sufficient time to acquire a decent start. At a recent party the club went all to pieces, as it were, just because one of the members produced a score card with fourteen games to her credit when only thirteen had been played. R. Thompson has a new delivery wagon, one of the finest in town. Neuralgia has a majority of our people in its grasp. Mrs. McGovern and daughter are thinking of removing to Clinton. Michael and James Colman, farmers, residents of the Iowa River district, now located at Des Moines and, friends, were here Thursday on their way home after visiting at New Albin. A new cement walk is being laid at the depot, the work being done

by the railway company. Dr. Thornton has spent the week in Chicago.

County Surveyor Miner was here on business the first of the week. Dr. Nachtwey is again confined to his home. Chas. Siewert had a finger badly smashed and another broken recently while operating a threshing outfit on the John Johnson place.

R. Hufschmidt, president of the Lansing Business Men's association, appointed the following delegates to the 6th annual meeting of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association to be held at Moline on the 22-3: Jno. Dunlevy, Capt. Harry Short, H. J. Metcalf. And the mayor's appointments were: Robt. Hufschmidt, Theo. Nachtwey, A. M. Fellows.

Mrs. R. G. Miller of Village Creek entertained a number of Lansing ladies Tuesday afternoon as follows: Mesdames B. F. Thomas, W. H. Ray, A. M. Fellows, Harry Nielander, G. W. Metcalf, and Miss M. Hemenway. Some of the ladies present were members of the P. E. O.

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AT CALEDONIA

CALEDONIA, Minn., Oct. 19. — (Special.)—District court adjourned Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock after a session lasting four days.

The jury in the case of Louisa Neu vs. Gustav Litzau and Louis Helm brought in a verdict late Thursday evening awarding the plaintiff one dollar damages against the defendant Litzau. This carries the costs with it, which will come quite high.

The Brownsville saloonkeepers, John H. Smith, George Rippe and Gottlieb Yahn were arraigned and interposed a demurrer to the indictments charging them with keeping open on Sunday. The demurrer was overruled and they entered a plea of not guilty. Their cases will go over to the next term, they furnishing each a \$500 bond for their appearance at that time.

The action of Matilda J. McCan et al. vs. Julius Hanke was continued as was also that of T. M. Abbotts vs. Josephine Schmitt and husband.

The partition suit of John N. Schmitt vs. Margaret Pope et al. was heard and findings ordered. Mathew Marmach was appointed referee in the matter.

The suit of Bernard Weiser vs. Gus Boldt, not to be tried before Oct. 22, was not reached and will go over the term.

MCGREGOR NEWS

Walter Davis has been entertaining friends. The dance in Sullivan's opera house was well attended and everybody enjoyed themselves.

Frank E. Long presented the Persian Princess, the Little Homestead, and the Minister's Son.

Mrs. James Edwards departed for Des Moines, and Robert Quigley also left.

Mrs. Robert Quigley is visiting her daughters at Oelwein, Misses Georgia and Lola.

Will Brown of Waukon was a McGregor caller Monday.

Mr. Smidt of Caledonia was calling on J. K. Gray Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Sawell of Savanna, Ill., and children have been visiting Jake Phillips and family.

The McGregor High school baseball team went to Sacred Heart college Sunday. It was a very interest-

ing game. Kramer of McGregor struck out 19 men. The score was 7 to 5 in favor of the college.

The supper given in the Odd Fellows' hall by the basket ball team was well attended.

Rev. V. E. Hall is attending conference at Cedar Falls.

The Elkader High school football team met Decorah Saturday and defeated them by the score of 10 to 0.

Miss Marie Ruegnitz was visiting over Sunday with her mother, returning Monday to Elkader.

Mrs. Charles and family of Mason City was visiting her sisters, Mrs. G. A. Anderson and Mrs. J. K. Gray.

C. T. Puck is a Chicago visitor this week.

William Allen of Garaville was a caller one day last week.

Miss Little Nelson of Prairie du Chien was visiting Mrs. George Cox.

Mrs. L. C. Farnum was a La Crosse caller Thursday.

Mrs. Shad returned to Monona after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Walter Ind.

Jake Scott arrived Wednesday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. G. S. C. Scott.

Delos Jacobs and wife are with Mrs. Jacob's mother at Oelwein.

Miss Leona Fette entertained the Bachelor girls Thursday evening.

A. Horning has been a business caller at Oelwein.

G. A. Anderson and sons returned from the Dakotas last night.

J. D. Bickel has been a business caller at Chicago the past week.

James Allen visited over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. James Allen.

Mrs. Frank C. Sloane is visiting relatives in La Crosse.

Ex-Senator Baylis, formerly of Elkader, who is now located at Dubuque, is calling on old friends.

Wm. Morgan and brother of National are looking for land in Colorado.

Mrs. Geht of St. Paul is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Herman Kossack.

Mrs. Beyers of Guttenberg was visiting Tuesday with Mrs. Mill Evans.

Miss Stuart of Glen Haven took in the dance here Wednesday evening.

F. B. Richards has been a business caller at Chicago.

Mrs. John Hartwick was called to Klemme, Ia., by the severe illness of her brother, Fred Arnold.

M. A. Crawford, who recently came from Summers, Ark., is located near Farmersburg.

M. L. Marsh and wife have returned from Des Moines, where they were visiting their daughter.

Mrs. Frank Larrabee and daughter Rachel have returned from an extended visit in the east.

Mrs. C. M. Hunting of Vancouver is calling on friends and relatives.

Mrs. E. Hoxie has returned from a visit at Omaha.

Edwin Douglas of Postville is visiting his son George and sister Mrs. H. C. Noble.

Miss Margaret Bull of Prairie du Chien is employed in Horning's art store.

Miss Carol Peterson spent Sunday in Calmar.

Miss Liebenstein of Watson was a McGregor caller last week.

Hon. J. O. Crosby of Garaville was a McGregor caller last week.

Mrs. Thomas Williams is visiting in Elkader.

Joe Jerich of Milwaukee has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jerich.

Lou Kramer and family are expected home from Charleston, N. D., where they have spent the summer.

Mr. Stearns of Mason City, Ia., and Miss Schillings of Pittsburg, Pa., have been the guests of Miss McCollough.

Wm. Fox and wife and Mrs. Orville Wilder have been visiting relatives at Monona.

Mrs. Inez Cleveland of Dubuque has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Will Quigley.

Mrs. Higgins returned Monday from Pittsburg, Pa., her former home.

Charles Buck has moved back into town off the Barron farm where he has spent the summer.

Richard Cox and wife and daughter, Mrs. Albert Bergman, departed for an extended visit at Janesville, Wis.

It takes more than a gracious manner in the meeting to make up for a grouchy way in the home.

When a woman wants to overlook the faults of her husband she tells the neighbors he is broadminded.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN.

In Probate: La Crosse County Court.
In the matter of the estate of John Van Zandbergen, deceased.
Letters testamentary in said matter having been this day granted to William S. Burroughs, of the city of La Crosse, in said county, and no one having required the appointment of commissioners on said estate, it is ordered that all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be examined and adjusted by this court at a regular term thereof to be held at the Court House in the City of La Crosse in said County, on the first Tuesday being the fifth day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m.
It is further ordered, that six months from and after date hereof be, and the same hereby are allowed and limited to creditors to present their claims against said deceased, for examination and allowance.
And it is further ordered, that notice of the time within which said claims may be presented, and of the time when they will be examined and adjusted, be given by publishing this notice for four weeks successively once in each week in the La Crosse Tribune, a Daily Newspaper, published in said county, the first publication to be made within fifteen days of the date of this order.
Dated at Probate Office, in the City and County of La Crosse, this eleventh day of October, A. D. 1907.
By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

CATCH 125 IBS. OF NICE PIKE
Fred J. Colton and Louis Tabbot of the Central fire station, yesterday returned from a few weeks' visit at Brownsville where they have been pike fishing, with a catch of about 125 pounds.
Charles Robinson of No. 3 station took them down in his launch.
James Vrchota is still camping there, during his vacation, and will remain about three weeks.
Won the Bet.
Smith and Jones were passing down Oxford street, London, and before them strutted one of the members of a musical society, who sang as he walked along snatches from ballads and operas to his own intense satisfaction.
"I bet you a level shilling," said S. to J., "that I give that chap in front of us, who is singing, a terrific kick, which he will not resent, and instead of being annoyed will thank me."
"Perhaps you know him—he is a friend of yours," J. replied.
"I have never spoken to him, and he doesn't know me," said S.
"Right you are, then; I'll take you," said J.
S. advanced to the warbler and, watching his opportunity, dealt the tenor a terrific kick. The singer turned round, maddened with passion at the unprovoked and unexpected attack. S. in no way disconcerted, raised his hat politely, and with the most profound bow and with the appearance of sincere regret, said:
"Excuse me! I thought from your voice I recognized my old friend Caruso."
The compliment was too telling, and the singer, overcome with pride at the suggested comparison, replied:
"My dear sir, you are too kind."
Smith won his bet, but the joke should not be tried upon the same tenor again.—Tit-Bits.

Miscellaneous

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FOUND—Ice cream at the Royal, 25 cents per quart.
Every man believes he can bring in all the prominent men in his neighborhood to testify that he is all right.

DAILY MARKETS

MARKET REMAINS STATIONARY TODAY

PRICES SAME AS THOSE GIVEN OUT YESTERDAY.

HICKORY NUTTING POPULAR

Nuts Are Ripe and Little Effort Is Required to Get Them; They Are Plenty and Good.

The local market remains stationary today.
Hickory nutting seems to be a most popular form of outing for the people of La Crosse and surrounding country just at present. The heavy frost of the past two weeks has made the nuts fall to the ground or made it so that very little effort on the part of the nut gatherers is necessary to make them fall. For several weeks parties have been hickory nutting. The nuts are plentiful this fall and of good variety.

SATURDAY, OCT. 19, 1907.

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)
Creamery, per pound 32c
Dairy, per pound 28@30c
Eggs, per dozen 20@23c
Eggs, on track, case \$5.85

(Prices by A. Grimes & Sons)
Patent, per barrel \$6.20
Straight, per barrel \$6.00

Meat Feed.
Shorts, per ton \$28.00
Braa, per ton \$26.00
White middlings, per ton \$30.00
Red dog, per ton \$31.00
Ground feed, ton \$30.00

(Quoted by W. W. Carrell Co.)
Winter wheat 90@95
Spring wheat 90@1.00
Barley 85@95
Oats 45@50c
Corn 60@63c
Rye 70@75c

(By Langdon-Joy Packing Co.)
Hogs \$5.35@6.00
Pigs \$2.00@3.00
Cows \$1.50@2.75
Lamb \$4 to \$5.50

Provisions.
Lard, per pound 9 1/2 @ 10 1/2 c
Hams, strictly fresh, dozen 13@14c
Shoulders 10@11c
Bacon 15@16c
Dry beef 15 1/2 @ 17 1/2 c

(Quoted by A. B. Mott.)
Blue Point Oysters, qt. 45c
Egg plants, each 10c
Eggs, strictly fresh, dozen 25c
Creamery, per pound 33c
Cranberries, qt. 10c
New cabbage, lb. 5c
Sweet potatoes, lb. 5c
New potatoes, per bushel 1.50c
Carrots, peck 1.00c
Cranberries, qt. 10c
Van Beans, lb. 10c
Beets, peck 20c
Celery, dozen 30c
Cucumbers, each 10c
Radishes, 2 bunches for 5c
Green onions, 2 bunches 2c
Lettuce, 2 bunches for 5c
Kutabagoes, pk. 20c
Hubbard squash 10@15c
Cauliflower, each 10@15c
Pears, doz 40c
Green peppers, dozen 1.00c

Fruits.
Pickle pears, peck 75c
Concord grapes, basket 75c
Quince, peck 75c
Apples, cooking, peck 30c
Apples, eating, peck 30c
California peaches, dozen 30c
Oranges, dozen 50@60c
Lemons, dozen 25@30c
Bananas, dozen 20@25c
California plums, dozen 10c
Pound sweets, peck 75c

(Quoted by H. M. Slegar.)
Pike, pound 15c
White 15c
Trout, pound 15c
Salmon 15c
Herring 4 to 5c
Halibut 15c
Perch 6c

Cheese.
Full cream brick, pound 14 1/2 @ 15c
Full cream Twin, pound 16@16 1/2 c
Full cream Young America 16c
Full cream Swiss 20c
German hand, per box 90c
Primost 9 to 12c

Poultry.
Old chickens 12 1/2 c
Young chickens 15c
Turkeys, pound 15c
Ducks 15c
Geese 12 1/2 c

Hay and Wood.
Hay, wild, per ton \$9@10
Hay, tame, per ton \$15@16
Straw, ton \$6.00
Bottom wood, cord \$5.00
Second growth oak 6.00
Old oak 5.50
Pine wood 5.50
Lumber, cord \$6.00

SUICIDES DURING A CHURCH SERVICE
SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 19.—With the words, "Good-bye, Eva," Edward Neil Kelly, a young workman, drew a revolver and fired a bullet through his head on the platform of the Apostolic Faith church here.

The girl he referred to was sitting in the audience within ten feet of the young man when he fired the fatal shot. Kelly died at the hospital half an hour later.

The best appreciation of any truth is its application.

CHI. MARKETS

Chicago Delivery.

WHEAT.
July 1.01 1/2 1.02 1/2 1.01 1/2 1.02 1/2
Dec. 1.01 1/2 1.04 1/2 1.01 1/2 1.04 1/2
May 1.07 1/2 1.09 1/2 1.07 1/2 1.09 1/2

CORN.

July 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2
Dec. 60 1/2 60 1/2 59 1/2 60 1/2
May 61 1/2 62 1/2 61 1/2 62

OATS.

Dec. 33 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2
Nov. 53 1/2 56 1/2 55 1/2 53 1/2

PORK.

July 15.80
Minneapolis Delivery.
WHEAT.
Dec. 1.07 1/2 1.10 1.07 1/2 1.10
May 1.12 1/2 1.14 1/2 1.11 1/2 1.14 1/2

Liverpool Markets.

Wheat—closed 1/2 to 3/4 higher.
Corn—closed 1/4 to 3/4 lower.
Receipts at Chicago.
Wheat—85 cars.
Corn—325 cars.
Oats—257 cars.

Northwestern Receipts.

Today. Last year.
Minneapolis 277 389
Duluth 270 364

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs, 5c lower; 12,000.
Cattle—1,500, slow.
Sheep—3,000; steady.

FEST ATTENDANCE IS GROWING DAILY

FAR PAST THE THOUSAND MARK AT PRESENT TIME

WILL BE GOOD "AD" FOR CITY

Secretary J. L. Utermoehl Is Satisfied With the Progress Being Made; Photo of Frohsinn

The 1908 Saengerfest will no doubt serve to advertise the progressiveness of La Crosse more widely than anything which has been inaugurated for this city for some time.

Singing societies from all the surrounding states and from Chicago, Milwaukee, the Twin Cities, have made arrangements for accommodations during their stay here.

The accommodation list is swelling over the thousand mark very rapidly and there will be the larger number of strangers, most of whom have trained voices, in the city, than La Crosse has seen for some time.

This morning Secretary John L. Utermoehl received word from J. J. Aue, editor of the Eau Claire Herald, and secretary of the Germania Singing society of that city, that he had provided accommodations for 30 members of his society at the Hotel Doering. Many of the members will also bring their ladies which will serve to nearly double the list of visitors.

Tomorrow afternoon Pryor will take a photograph of all the members of the Frohsinn Singing society at their hall at Fourth and Jay streets.

OPERATORS ROOM LAWYER

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 19.—George H. Imbrie, a lawyer, and a former operator, chairman of the local executive committee, is being boomed for president of the telegraphers union. It is reported that at the Milwaukee convention he will be supported by the western delegation.

If a man can put a squalling baby to sleep he has a right to feel chesty.

NO BAN ON THE POMPADOUR HERE

HAVEN'T CONSIDERED CLOTHES YET, SAYS DOERFLINGER

REITZEL HAS NO OBJECTION

Store Girls Here Can Wear Their Hair as They Choose, so Long as It Looks All Right

La Crosse's department store girls need spend no waking nights over the ban on pompadours which seems to be sweeping the country.

Heads of the big department stores today announce they do not propose to follow the lead of the Pittsburgh and Chicago store managers and place the iron heel on pompadours or marcel waves.

In fact they have not noticed but what their girls look real well in these fancies of fashion and do not propose that they shall be forced into the milk-maid part-in-the-middle style, for a minute.

Since the announcement a few days ago that the heads of Chicago's big stores had begun a war on the coiffure that reaches high above the wearer's head, or completely covers alabaster brows, La Crosse girls have trembled. They feared their employers would adopt similar tactics. They even were ready to rebel at a crusade against a popular method of hair dressing.

William Doerflinger of the Doerflinger store said today that he had not got along to the consideration of clothes for his girl employees yet.

"Some of the big stores in Chicago," said Mr. Doerflinger, "prescribe what clothes shall be worn, and put the ban on finery and jewelry, but we are not quite so far advanced yet.

Marshall Field and even the Fair stores insist that their girls shall dress entirely in black with no adornments, permitting only a white shirtwaist in the summer.

"Well, well," smiled A. F. Reitzel, when queried by the interviewer as to what fate was to befall the pompadours in his establishment. "I am sure the girls can wear pompadours if they want to. I have no objection.

La Crosse girls are a tasty lot, and they generally manage to look nice enough to suit most any store manager."

And then Mr. Reitzel laughed a laugh which would have lightened the hearts of any of the girls who had feared for a moment that their pompadours were in danger.

VETS WANT \$2,400

THAT AMOUNT NEEDED FOR ASSISTANCE

Commissioner Cronon Prepares Annual Request

An appropriation of \$2,400 for the poor and needy veterans of the civil war and their widows will be asked of the county board of supervisors at the annual meeting of the board at the end of November by the Soldiers' Relief commission.

County Coroner Edward Cronon, chairman of the commission, in compiling his report for the year has made application for the same sum as followed by the board last year. A balance of \$111 remains in the treasury of the commission, but the last fiscal year was only eleven months, due to a change in the law making October the last month.

Heretofore November was the last. "The commission will ask for the same appropriation as last year," said Chairman Cronon today. "A small balance remains in the treasury, and a smaller sum next year would, not suffice for the needs of the

veterans and their widows.

"The county board always has been liberal with us, and I expect the request for \$2,400 will be granted. This is the largest sum allowed the commission, and was given for the first time last season.

"With only eleven months for this year, we have a balance of \$111 left, which will not be sufficient for the commission, because of the increase in demands for assistance."

TALKS GLIBLY OF POKER CHIPS

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 19.—President Luther of Trinity college caused a laugh in talking about poker chips in his address to the Connecticut Teachers' association of a "College Entrance Requirements." He said: "There should be no piling up of points, or subjects for college entrance requirements, as one piles up poker chips. You will pardon the simile, I hope, when you remember that I just returned from a trip with the Connecticut delegation to the Jamestown exposition."

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee and the East	2:35 a. m. 12:30 p. m. 11:05 p. m.	3:05 a. m. 7:05 a. m. 10:45 a. m.
Winona, St. Paul and Minneapolis	2:35 a. m. 12:30 p. m. 2:15 p. m.	3:30 a. m. 7:30 a. m. 11:30 p. m.
Dubuque, Rock Island, Omaha and West	a 12:05 p. m. a 8:30 p. m.	a 11:30 a. m. a 5:00 p. m.
Southern Minnesota Division	a 10:30 a. m. c 7:50 p. m.	a 11:30 p. m. a 6:10 p. m.

Refer to daily, a daily except Sunday, b daily except Saturday.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East	a 8:00 a. m. a 12:45 p. m. b 10:40 p. m.	b 5:20 a. m. a 12:15 p. m. a 5:30 p. m.
Trempealeau, Galesville, Winona, Oatonna and West	b 5:30 a. m. a 12:15 p. m. a 5:30 p. m.	a 8:00 a. m. a 12:35 p. m. b 10:40 p. m.

Refer to daily, a daily except Sunday, b daily.

GREEN BAY & WESTERN

To and From	Leave La Crosse	Arrive La Crosse
Arcadia, Barr, Independence, etc.		
Whitewater, Merrills, Grand Rapids, Stevens Point, New London, Green Bay and Keweenaw	a 8:15 a. m.	a 4:40 p. m.

a daily except Sunday.

LEWANEUE SHORT LINE

Green Bay & Western Railroad	Keweenaw, Green Bay & Western R. R.
The Popular Route Between	The Short Line to New York
Green Bay, Winona, Philadelphia, Washington, St. Paul, Minneapolis and all points in the West and Northwest	Car ferries across Lake Michigan both summer and winter
J. A. Jordan, Gen. Mgr.	W. C. Modest, Gen. Frt. & Pass. Agt.

Green Bay, Wis.

LA CROSSE & SOUTHEASTERN RAILWAY

To and From	Leave La Crosse	Arrive La Crosse
Stoddard, Chasaburg, Coon Valley, Westby, Viroqua	a 7:40 a. m. b 9:00 p. m. c 9:30 p. m.	b 10:15 a. m. a 8:20 a. m. b 6:30 p. m.

A daily, b daily except Sunday, c Sunday only all trains arrive and depart from C. & S. & S. depot.

THE JUSTLY CELEBRATED MAY MANTON PATTERNS

DELINEATED IN "DRESSMAKING AT HOME" ARE SOLD IN LA CROSSE BY **KARL G. KURTENACKER**

AT REITZEL'S

There is Thirty Years' Experience Back of Every May Manton Pattern!

No Experimenting! Unsurpassed in Style! No Guessing! Perfection of Fit!

The Best and Most Perfect Pattern Made and all at the uniform price of **10c** each

CALL OR SEND FOR FREE FASHION SHEET TODAY.

Child's Mittens

Children's double knit black yarn mittens, slightly imperfect, values 10c. Monday in the Glove department specially priced at the pair only **5c**

Ladies' Mittens

Ladies' double Mitten, knit of fast black yarn, slightly imperfect in the knit, big 15c values. Monday specially priced at the pair only **5c**

Nothing That Is Not Good

Everything That Is Good

Tafetta Ribbon

Pure silk tafetta ribbon, 3 to 4 inches wide, in all the leading colors, also black and white, Monday only, priced at the yard **10c**

New Wash Laces

A lot of Torenson and Platt Val Laces in new patterns up to 4 inches wide, edges and insertions, values up to 15c. Monday at the yard only **5c**

DOERFLINGER'S

NEWS GLORIOUSLY INTERESTING TO EVERY WOMAN WHO LOVES TO DRESS WELL
AN ASTOUNDING PURCHASE AND SALE OF BEAUTIFUL SILKS

Our Mr. Thornbury scored another silk scoop by making an enormous purchase of a manufacturers' surplus silk stock. The price paid was far below the actual cost of production, and it enables him to launch a sale that stands without *Peer, Precedent or Comparison for Really Amazing Value Giving*. The immensity of this purchase with the magnificent range of highly fashionable styles of highest quality and the enormity of the price reductions emphasize this sale as **THE MOST STUPENDOUS SALE OF ALL SILK SALES EVER HELD IN LA CROSSE, BARING NONE**

If Beauty, Quality and Price Count for Anything, There Will Be An Early Morning Rustle in Our Great Silk Section on the Main Floor

Sale Starts Monday Morning and Continues the Entire Week—Be Alive to Your Opportunity

Black Taffeta Silk

500 yards of a fine quality black Taffeta Silk, 27 inches wide, Chiffon, high lustre, beautiful finish, a quality that sells regularly at \$1.00, well worth \$1.25, while the lot lasts. Monday and all week, priced at the yard only **69c**

36 Inch

Black Taffeta Silk

1000 yards of an excellent quality 36 inch black Taffeta Silk in both the dull and Chiffon finish, regularly sold at \$1.25 and \$1.50 the yard. This special purchase enables us to reduce the price for Monday and balance of week at per yard only **89c**

LOT ONE

**75c and 89c
Fancy Silks 49c**

This lot is made up of about 1000 yards of the season's choicest silks, including JAP SILKS, 27 inches wide in all the leading colors, best quality, worth 60c and 65c. Colored Taffeta, 19 inches wide, all the most desirable plain colors, worth 65c and 75c. Plaid Taffeta, 19 and 20 inches wide, in all the new large and small effects, usually sold at 75c and 89c. Every yard of silk in the lot is desirable and new. Never before in the history of silk selling have the choicest silks like these been offered at such a small price. While the lot lasts your choice at the low price, per yard **49c**

LOT TWO

**Silks worth
not less \$1 59c**

Over 2,000 yards of the choicest silks of the richest designs in plaids, stripes and plain colors.

TAFFETAS

LOUISINES

PEA DE CYGNES

A great variety in this lot, in fact almost anything that a woman might want for dresses, waists or petticoats. Really the choicest assortment we ever displayed in this store. Not a yard in the lot is worth regularly less than \$1.00. Having bought them at the extreme underprice we are able to offer them at the unapproachable low price, choice at the yard **59c**

LOT THREE

**Rich Silks
worth 1.50 69c**

Full 2,000 yards of new Fall Novelty plaid Silks in every new and imaginable color and combination. Plaid silks are now more stylish than ever before for dress, waists, trimmings, etc. Hundreds of yards French Novelty, Clan Tartan satin barred stripe effects and much color light and dark effects in Taffeta and Lusine weaves, 20 to 27 inches wide. Also a lot of plain and crinkled crepe du Chine in plain colors and printed designs. A pure silk and of high quality. Values in the lot worth up to \$1.50, your choice while the lot lasts at the low price, per yard **69c**

LOT FOUR

**\$1.25, \$1.50
Choice Silk 79c**

A magnificent assortment of newest plaids, checks and stripes in Taffeta and Lusine weaves with a heavy rich lustrous finish, light and dark coloring in the very newest combinations. Hair line stripes, checks and broken plaids. Charming silks most suitable for waists and dresses. We purchased about 1500 yards of these high quality silks. Not a yard would sell in a regular way for less than \$1.25 and most are worth \$1.50. Only for the reason of this great purchase would the opportunity to buy such splendid silks at such a little price be offered. Monday and while the lot lasts, choice at the yard only **79c**

LOT FIVE

**Silk Velvet
worth 1.50 89c**

A choice collection of new Silk Velvet in every desirable weave and wanted color, suitable for costumes, coats and suits. A heavy quality closely woven, rich soft and silky. The velvets are so extremely fashionable and here is an opportunity for you to save one-third and more. Values up to \$1.50, choice at the yard only **89c**

SATIN LINING 89c
\$1.25 Value at.....

Belding's Satin Lining, full 36 inches wide, soft liberty finish, guaranteed to wear two seasons. All the new fall light and dark colors, also white, ivory and cream, regularly worth \$1.25, for this sale we reduce the price of this lining at the yard only **89c**

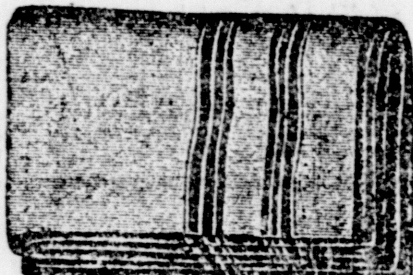
You'll Find Every Yard of Silk Displayed on the Bargain Counters and Exactly as Advertised Here

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Time to supply your Bedding needs

\$1.00 COTTON BLANKETS **89c**

Full size soft cotton fleece double bed blankets, in gray and white, fancy colored borders. Well worth \$1.00; Monday priced at the pair only **89c**



"Silver Fleece" 10-4 size, 50x72 in., sanitary, gray heavy fleecing on both sides, priced at per pair **65c**

Gray Fleece 11-4 size, 64x80 in., heavy wool fleece, finished on both sides, 6 in. border, all colors, pair **98c**

"Velvet Fleece" 12-4 size, 72-80 in., striped border in all colors, stitched edge, specially priced, at per pair **\$1.25**

"Heavy Fleece" 11-4 size, 64-76 inches, gray and white mot-tled effect, heavily fleeced on both sides, per pair **\$1.49**

Comforters up to \$10

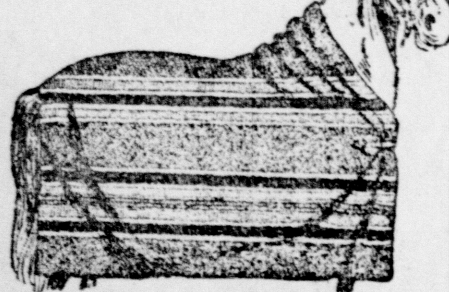
Calico covered Quilts, extra well made, sanitary wool filling, size 55x72 inches, priced each at only **49c**

Cretone covered Quilts with trucker red lining, extra well made, size 60x74 in., specially priced at **69c**

Figured Persian Calico covered Quilts, extra well made, sanitary wool filling, size 62x74 in., good value, at **75c**

Horse Blankets

Economy
Basement



"Military Gray" 12-4 size, 74-80 in., woolly appearance, real heavy 12 in. border, stitched edge, per pair **\$1.75**

All wool fast color, 10-4 size, 60x80 inches, black border, overstitched edge, priced at per pair **\$3.95**

All wool fast color, 11-4 size, 72-84 inches, 5 lb. warp and filling pure wool, crocheted edge, priced at per pair **\$4.95**

Very soft pure wool white blankets, extra size, fancy colored borders, special values, at per pair **\$2.95**

Economy Basement

Extra good weight comforters covered with calico in choice patterns, sanitary filling, medium size, good value **98c**

Comforters covered with choice pattern silkline and large figure cretione, either yarn knotted or sewed **\$1.25**

Japanese figured Silkline covered Comforters, heavy weight, extra good size, yarn knotted, at only **\$1.49**

STORM BLANKETS \$1.98

A good quality heavy duck storm blanket, 80x80 in. full size. Well made and lined, priced at **\$1.98**

WOOL BLANKETS **\$1.25**

Square Wool Blankets, 78x80 in., fancy color border, well bound edges, leather straps, specially priced at only **\$1.25**

Stable Blankets up from **98c**

Plush Lap Robes from **\$1.98**

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We are offering cash prizes for those who use their efforts in bringing in votes. The person who at the end of the contest has the greatest number of votes to their credit will be awarded \$25 in gold, second highest \$15, third highest \$10 and the next five highest \$5 each. All solicitors should get an early start. Well begun is half the battle won.

The Best Suit Values in all LaCrosse

The best at the price no matter what the price. The happy combination, Economy and Elegance is always attained in our Ready to Wear Dept. Second Floor.

As a suggestion we mention these offerings.

A new Prince Chap suit, elegantly tailored of fancy strip suiting in brown, red or blue. Plaited skirt trimmed with bands. An exceedingly strong value, priced at only **\$17.50**

A charming Velvet suit in brown, green and blue Poney jacket style, jacket and skirt trimmed with silk braid. Elegantly tailored. Well worth \$28, priced at only **\$22.50**

New Tailored Suits made of imported chiffon finish, Broadcloth and mannish mixtures. New half length models semi fitting and tight fitting. Remarkable values at **\$25**

A handsome model Tailored Suit made of extra fine quality Broadcloth in black, Poney Jacket, Copenhagen blue, trimming on skirt and jacket. Well worth \$40, priced at **\$35**

**Great Values in Boys' SCHOOL SUITS**

One lot of suits that formerly sold at \$3.25 up to \$4.25 in Russian, Eton and Blouse styles and all the popular fabrics, ages 3 to 10 years. Plain jacket and pants and Norfolk Styles; ages 7 to 16 years, Monday the lot goes on sale. Your choice at the suit, only **\$2.98**

Another lot made up of the finest kind of suits in Russian Eton and Salior Blouse, ages 4 to 10 years, Norfolk styles, also plain jacket suits with plain or bloomer pants. Values formerly sold at \$4.25 up to \$5.50, Monday choice of the lot at the suit, only **\$3.98**

\$3.50 WOMEN'S SHOES \$1.98

A lot of ladies' lace shoes in a variety of good styles, Vici Kid, Blucher cut, light and heavy soles, Box Calf and Enamel, Velour, formerly selling at \$2.00 up to \$3.50. Monday your choice of the lot at the pair only **\$1.98**



Coal Hods

15 inch Japanese Coal Hods—heavy wire handle, special values at each only **23c**



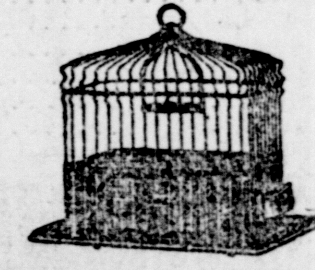
Preserve Kettles

6 and 8 quart grey enamel Preserve Kettles, values worth to 50c. Monday day at **25c**



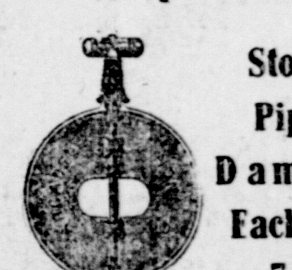
Roasters

Extra well made of smooth sheet steel, 8x12 inches, 35 cent value, priced at each **23c**



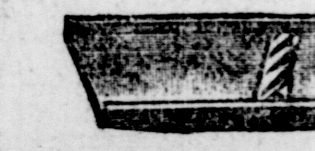
Bird Cages

Brass and japanned, in all sizes, very special values at up from **59 Cents**



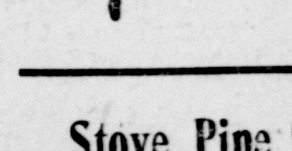
Stove Pipe Dampers

Stove Pipe Dampers Each at **7c**



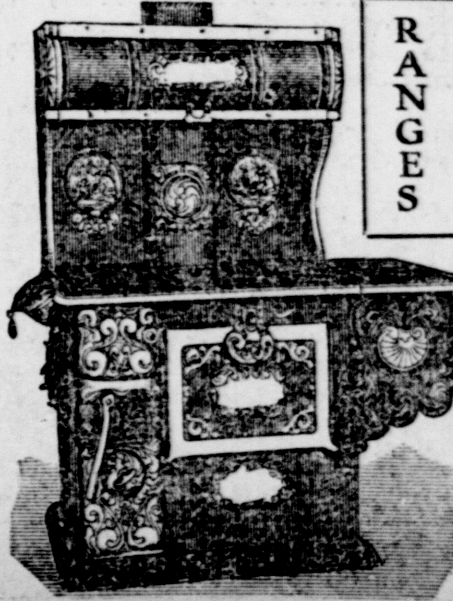
KRAUT CUTTERS 10c

Adjustable steel blade, made of select wood, very special at **10c**



Stove Pipe 9c

Extra well made of bed sheet steel, 6 in size, very special at per length **9c**



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Our Royal Gem priced at \$21.98 (without reservoir) is a bargain without parallel. It is made of the strongest and best kind of steel and iron, and although priced very low, is constructed with extreme care and attention to detail and workmanship which is given in the highest grade and highest priced ranges. An equal grade in a Steel range could not be bought from any dealer for less than \$25.00. The Royal Gem is well worth more. We have priced them at

\$21.98

Monday's Pure Grocery Offerings Insure Big Savings

Sugar—Best granulated cane, priced for Monday at 10 pounds **50c**

Coffee—Regal blend, regular 25c value the pound; Monday priced at 5 pounds for **\$1.00**

Tea—Sundried Japan tea. Regularly worth 48c the pounds, Monday specially priced at 1 1/2 pounds for **50c**

Pepper—Pure black ground pepper, specially priced for Monday at the pound **21c**

Corn Meal—Strictly fresh yellow corn meal, priced for Monday at 10 pound bag for **21c**

Flour—Strictly fresh Graham flour, priced for Monday 10 pound bag for **19c**

Butterine—Swift's Jersey Butterine, priced for Monday, 17c the pound, or 5 pounds for **80c**

Tobacco—Miller's No. 213 brand smoking tobacco, Monday 1-2 pound package priced at **5c**

Peas—Park brand new early June peas, priced at the can 10c, or 6 cans for **55c**

Corn—Regal brand new standard pack, priced at the can 9c, or 6 cans for **45c**

Peas—Wisconsin sweet wrinkled sifted peas, priced at the can 15c, or 6 cans for **75c**

Tomatoes—New 1907 pack tomatoes, priced for Monday at the can only **10c**

Jam—S. C. C. brand, high grade fruit jam, 16 oz. jars priced for Monday at the jar **15c**

Jams—Home brand pure fruit and sugar jam, 16 oz. jars priced for Monday at the jar **25c**

Mustard—Moon brand prepared mustard, 26 oz. jars especially priced for Monday at **11c**

Citron—New candied citron specially priced for Monday at the pound **25c**

Your Feet---How About Them?

Have You Your Solid Soled

WINTER SHOES?

A cold now may mean a cold all winter, so it is important that you keep your feet warm and dry. Our **HEALTH AND WALK-EASY SHOES** are just what you need—We have them for Ladies' or Gentlemen—

They are made with a Cushion Insole, Cork filling and solid Leather Outer Sole—Price.

\$4.00 AND \$5.00

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Master Magician, Humorist, Illusionist and Entertainer, introducing his latest illusions:

"TRANSPARENT AND CREMATION"

No man, woman or child can afford to miss seeing this great act, as it is instructive, startling, sensational and mysterious. It is **Something New**.

Other star acts on the program:

Miss Bessie Allen
Mack and Elliot
Bowen and Bowen

Miss Louise Lehman and Mr. Louis La Vallie, both late of the Nellie Andrews Grand Opera Trio, have been engaged permanently as Pianist and Illustrated Song Singer.

Moving Pictures:

- 1—"Are You an Elk?"
- 2—"Man, Hat and Cocktail."

Both very funny.

Ladies' Popular Matinees Every Day at 3 o'clock.

Admission 10 cents.

Night Performances 10c and 15c. Sunday and Holiday Matinees 10 and 15 Cents.



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MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

CRAZED BY WEDDING; DIVORCED MAN KILLS

MURDERER LOVED WOMAN, HIS FORMER WIFE

UNCLE AND BROTHER DIE

Slayer Blows Out Own Brains After Terrible Deed—Tragedy Blackest in Annals of Davenport

DAVENPORT, Ia., Oct. 21.—Crazed by his infatuation for his divorced wife, who had married again, William "Buck" Martin murdered two men, fatally wounded a third and ended his carnival of blood by blowing out his own brains, thus completing the most terrible tragedy ever enacted in this city.

The dead are:
James Gaskey, murdered, 46 years old, shot through the heart, dying immediately.

Hazzard Gaskey, 28 years old, murdered, shot through the back.

William "Buck" Martin, suicide, shot through the head.

Probably fatally wounded:
George Gaskey, 22 years old, shot just above the heart.

Because Buck Martin loved the woman who had formerly been his wife and because he was angered to the point of frenzy when on Thursday of last week she was married to Archie Gaskey, he swore vengeance upon her head, upon the head of her husband and upon all of the members of the family of Gaskey.

And of those upon whom Buck Martin swore to vent his vengeance only the woman and the man she married have escaped.

The first act of the tragedy was enacted upon City Island, a small piece of land in the Mississippi river at the west end of this city. There the Gaskeys, who are simple fisher folks, lived in small cabin boats which were made to run red with blood.

The last scene occurred in a lumber yard on the Iowa main land, where Martin, knowing full well the awfulness of his crime, and desperate perhaps because the very ones at whom his wrath was for the most part aimed, had escaped him, fearing the hand of the law, drew his gun "alrea" used by him to such terrible effect and turning it on himself fired the shot which ended his mad career.

GETS WIFE BY MAIL; BUT REFUSES TO WED

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Oct. 21.—After traveling 300 miles to meet her affinity, Mrs. Hattie Langley, "a widow with means," changed her mind and left for her Joplin, Mo., home, from which an advertisement for a wife had wooed her.

D. H. Friend, wifeless, the father of a brood of children and crossing tender for the Great Western railroad, recently applied through a matrimonial agency for a wife. His advertisement was for "a middle-aged, companionable woman with means, who wanted a good home."

Mrs. Langley applied, and, bringing with her her fourteen-year-old son, came to the city to see her new home.

She remained twenty-four hours, cooking one meal for Friend, then left for Joplin. She said she "didn't like the looks of the Friend outfit," and she preferred her widowhood to wifehood with Friend in his home.

Now Friend is bemoaning his fate and while chagrined at the action of his supposed wife-to-be, is still putting hope in the "providence" of the matrimonial agency.

Read the Tribune's Want Ads.

STRANGE CRIMINAL PLACED ON TRIAL

ALLEGED EMBEZZLER FACES COURT TODAY

BURNED COMPANY'S PLANT

Discharged for Thievery, It Is Charged He Committed Arson in Revenge—Story Like Romance

WEBSTER CITY, Ia., Oct. 21.—George Mackown, Iowa's most famous criminal, was placed on trial in this city today.

Mackown who is under 35 years of age, was brought back to this city three months ago, having been captured at Bakersfield, Cal., after a chase of nearly four years. He is charged with having embezzled thousands of dollars from the Northwestern Shoe company in this city and then, with cool deliberation and remarkable success, to have burned to the ground the company's \$100,000 plant to remove every vestige of evidence of his alleged embezzlement.

If the man is guilty, he is one of the most remarkable criminals ever caught within the meshes of Iowa laws, for his career here was a brief one, extending over but thirteen months of time.

The story of the crime as charged is that old, old tale of a breach of trust. A highly successful foreman in a felt shoe factory in Dodgeville, to the ground the company's \$100,000 plant, the man was discovered by a number of Webster City capitalists, who were in the east looking for a competent man to come to Webster City and assume the complete management of the local factory. That was in 1902. Mackown had been saving and had accumulated a small sum of money. He was induced to come to Webster City by the offer of a salary of \$100 per month and the opportunity to invest his small savings in the concern he was to manage. He came out in May of that year.

When the year's business was closed up, however, and the books gone over, there were a number of discrepancies. The directors began to question Manager Mackown. About this time Mrs. Mackown and baby left for the east on a visit. As the investigation proceeded things began to look worse, and finally culminated in the dismissal of the manager. As the company was without a practical man to run the plant, however, they permitted him to remain as foreman. His final dismissal came on a Saturday night, and on Monday night the big plant of the company lay a desolate and smoking ruin with not a dollar's worth of goods saved from the flames and but \$36,000 insurance to cover a full \$100,000 loss.

Mackown's alleged embezzlement is said to have been accomplished through the use of false invoices. The indictment against him charges specifically the theft of but \$2,500, but it is charged by the members of the company that from \$10,000 to \$15,000 was embezzled.

Mackown's downfall is laid to high living. On a salary of \$1,300 per year he lived at a \$10,000 pace and during the brief thirteen months that he lived here he and his beautiful wife cut a wide swath. During the four years that have intervened between his flight and capture, thousands of photographs and descriptions of the man were sent broadcast over the land. He was also listed with detective agencies and it was one of these men that finally found and placed him under arrest.

His trial in this city will create more interest than any criminal action tried in central Iowa in years.

TWO HUNTERS ARE KILLED ON RANGE

DULUTH, Oct. 21.—Two desperate hunting accidents are reported from the iron ranges, one man, John Filta, timberman at the New York Steel company's mines at Biwabik, having been killed, and August Skarratz of Ely probably fatally wounded. Both accidents are due to the carelessness of others.

John Jatka, master mechanic of the Kellogg mine at Biwabik, was out hunting partridges, and seeing a bird fired at it. He was startled to hear an agonizing cry from a man who he could not see, and realizing that he had wounded somebody started to investigate. He found John Filta writhing on the ground, severely wounded.

Mr. Jatka secured assistance as soon as possible and got the wounded man to a hospital, but the wound was mortal and the man died in a few hours.

A companion of Filta fled when the latter was wounded, being afraid apparently, that he, too, might get shot.

August Skarratz of Ely was out hunting with several companions and when separated from them was shot in the back with a load of buckshot. It has not developed who shot him, but it is said to have not been any member of his hunting party.

Skarratz was found by his companions and taken to a hospital at Ely, where nine buckshot were taken out of him by a surgeon. It is doubtful that he will recover. He is forty years old and unmarried.

NORTHWEST BRIEFS

BARNESVILLE, Minn.—Mrs. P. Mulchay of this city met with an accident that might have cost her her life, but for the time arrival of physicians. She stepped off a chair with so much force that she broke a blood vessel.

WINONA, Minn.—A big Sunday school institute was held in Warren in this county Sunday. The leading Sunday school workers of the county participated assisted by Rev. Cummings, the missionary worker for the American Sunday School union for this district. All of the Sunday schools in that part of the county united in the institute.

DES MOINES, Ia.—Thomas Way, who has been right of way agent for the Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad company in South Dakota, has returned to Iowa, and may become the campaign manager for Gov. Cummins in his race for the United States senatorship. Way formerly lived at Brit, and won considerable recognition as a political manager.

RUSHFORD, Minn.—The Lanesboro high school baseball girls were defeated by the Rushford girls by a score of 54 to 2. The feature of the game was the playing of Rosa Kierland and Susie Layne of Rushford.

DES MOINES, Ia.—The Iowa & Northwestern railroad, built a year ago on paper, will become a reality, and construction will be commenced this fall. Money has been secured from the Carnegie Trust company for the work, and a mortgage for \$6,000,000 given. The line will be 100 miles long, running southeast from Waterloo through Independence and Anamosa to Stanwood.

PIERRE, S. D.—The Pierre and Fort Pierre Bridge Railway company is preparing to put on a service between this city and Fort Pierre with a shuttle train, to carry the passenger business between the two cities, which have had to depend upon boat service in the past. The new train service probably will start about the middle of next month.

WATERTOWN, S. D.—A new monthly periodical to be known as the "Dakota Magazine" will be launched on the sea of journalism about Dec. 1. The magazine will be published in this city, and C. J. Bailey will be editor-in-chief. Each issue will contain at least 100 pages, to be filled with standard magazine articles and stories of western life.

ST. PETER, Minn.—All of the money that will be needed to build and equip St. Peter's new co-operative creamery has been raised. Although the company was organized less than a fortnight ago \$5,000 in stock has been subscribed for, the greater part of the issue having been taken by farmers and owners of dairy herds. Within a few days the building committee will meet to adopt plans for a building, and an effort will be made to have the creamery in operation inside of sixty days.

HENNING, Minn.—A setting containing six stacks of hay burned on the S. Helander farm. The loss is \$400. Incendiarism is suspected.

SIoux FALLS, S. D.—A petition in voluntary bankruptcy has been filed in the United States court in this city by George A. Cox of Sioux Falls. In the schedule accompanying his petition he places his liabilities at \$2,707.63 and his assets at \$437. The full amount of his assets is claimed to be exempt.

FERGUS FALLS, Minn.—Threshing is practically finished in this locality. Several weeks of dry weather have given the threshers ample time to push the work, and quite a number of towns report every bushel of grain of every kind now threshed and machines pulling in for the winter. Wheat is being marketed very slowly here, as farmers are busy hauling their coarser grains, many of them believing that the coarse grain prices are not likely to be maintained, while they have every confidence in the stability of the wheat prices. The big reduction in the acreage sown to wheat this year also accounts in part for light receipts.

WATERTOWN, S. D.—It was discovered by accident that Sylvester Dory, Jr., president of the Watertown Carbonating company, and one of the wealthiest men in the northern half of the state, was a benedict and

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Poehling's

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had been for nearly a week. The bride was a Mrs. Mattie Donahue of Louisville, Ky., a lifelong friend of the groom.

WATERTOWN, S. D.—Capt. L. H. Teetzel and Miss Hilda Johnson of this city were married yesterday. Hundreds of northwest traveling men have known the captain for the last twenty years and considered him a confirmed bachelor.

MANKATO, Minn.—Miss Mary Louisa Mansfield was married to Milton Jacob Flohr, a banker of Wallace, Idaho, at the bride's home in this city. They left for Wallace.

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PRICE TWO CENTS

WINNERS OF LAHN CUP MAY HAVE BEEN DASHED TO DEATH IN SENSATIONAL BALLOON RACE

SIGNAL SERVICE BALLOON IS LOST

McCoy and Chandler have not
been heard from

LAST SEEN AT POINT PLEASANT

Silence of Many Hours Leads to Fear
That Aeronauts Have Perished
in Winning Ascent

CHARLESTON, Oct. 19.—Where
is the United States signal corps bal-
loon No. 10, containing Aeronauts J.
C. McCoy and Capt. Charles Chandler,
of the government service? Has it
blown out to sea? Has a fatal
accident followed the winning of the
Lahn cup?

The landing of the balloon has not
been reported, and anxious friends
regard as the only hope that the
men are safe the possibility that the
ship landed in an infrequent spot
remote from telegraph and telephone
lines. The last heard from the aeri-
al travelers was when the balloon
was sighted at Point Pleasant, W.
Va., yesterday, moving then in an
easterly direction.

The balloon left St. Louis on Oct.
17 at 4:10 p. m., passed Jackson-
ville, Ill., at 10 p. m., Hillsboro, O.,
6 a. m. Oct. 18, Chillicothe 7:15 a.
m., Jackson 8 a. m., Gallipolis 9:45
a. m. and Beech Hill, W. Va., at 1
p. m. It next was seen at Point
Pleasant, yesterday, and the silence
that has followed its disappearance
during the many intervening hours
is regarded as good ground for ap-
prehension. But a few months ago
an English war department balloon
drifted out to sea with three officers
aboard, and has not been heard of
since.

The distance covered, on a straight
line measurement, is approximately
500 miles, and the voyage won for
the aeronauts the Lahn cup. This is
the longest flight in America since
Prof. John Wise's aerial journey in
1859.

Wise Ascent Recalled.
St. Louis was the starting point
for the sensational balloon voyage
made by Prof. Wise, which is still
the American record for long dis-
tance, and which, until 1900, was
the world's record.

Prof. Wise ascended at St. Louis
at 6:40 p. m. July 1, 1859. His com-
panions were John La Mountain of
Troy, N. Y.; D. A. Gager of Benning-
ton, Vt.; and William Hyde of St.
Louis. The balloon contained 600,
000 cubic feet of gas and carried 900
pounds of ballast.

Prof. Wise's bag was carried north
and east by a wind which early the
next day became a hurricane. The
landing was made in a driving wind
at 2:20 p. m., July 2, in the branches
of a sycamore tree near Henderson,
Jefferson county, N. Y., after the bal-
loon had covered 1,150 miles. The
time consumed in traveling this dis-
tance was nineteen hours and forty
minutes.

A later ascension from St. Louis
cost Prof. Wise his life.

Accident Averted.
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 19.—Late yester-
day afternoon Oscar Erbesloch and
Hans Heldemann, who will pilot the
balloon entered representing Ger-
many in the international contest,
made an ascension in the small bal-
loon Psyche. Just as they cleared
the ground the balloon traveled
straight for a big brick wall. Quick-
ly they cut away sand ballast bags,
cleared the wall, and then made di-
rectly for a smokestack. Again quick
use of knives in cutting away more
ballast averted a collision with the
smokestack, but the car struck a
guywire, which snapped, and the bal-
loon, lightened of considerable bal-
last, leaped into space while the
crowd of spectators cheered lustily.
After a voyage of two and a half
hours the Psyche descended without
 mishap at Red Bud, Ill., thirty miles
southeast of St. Louis.

MANILA SCARED BY BOMB STORY

MANILA, Oct. 19.—Reports that
an attempt was made to throw a
bomb at Secretary Taft started the
authorities, but a careful investiga-
tion has disclosed no foundation for
the stories.

The first hint at the alleged at-
tempt was given to the police by a
priest, who said the attempt was
made while the secretary was attend-
ing a reception at the Jesuit college.
The superior of the college character-
ized the priest's story as an inven-
tion.

STANDARD WANTS TO CONFESS IT ALL

BUT WANTS THIS "INVESTIGA-
TION" DROPPED AT ONCE

TIE UP STANDARD OFFICERS

That Is What Standard Lawyer Ad-
mits Government Is About to
Accomplish

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—It is re-
ported that at the close of the hearing
yesterday afternoon a Standard Oil
lawyer asked the government repre-
sentative:

"If we will admit that the Stand-
ard owns the Manhattan, will you
promise to drop this investigation?"

"No."
"Well, if we will admit that we
not only own the Manhattan, but
several other subsidiary companies,
will you stop your probing?"

"No," was again the reply.
Then the Standard lawyer is re-
ported to have remarked: "Well, if
you will make no promises it is use-
less for me to make any admissions.
I suppose you will go ahead until you
have the officers of the Standard
tied up."

At the conclusion of yesterday's
hearing the case was adjourned to
Dec. 2.

Trust Owns Manhattan

A star witness yesterday afternoon
was A. Brady through whom for the
first time was clearly established
the connection of the sale of the
Manhattan Oil company to the
Standard.

Brady admitted that when the
Manhattan Oil company was sold,
the People's Gas, Light and Coke
company of Chicago, received a con-
tract from the Standard Oil company
whereby the latter was to furnish
the Chicago concern with gas oil at a
cost of 1 1/2 cents a gallon for a pe-
riod of ten years. This price is much
less than the cost of production.

Brady admitted that when he and
Commodore E. C. Bonedict assumed
control of the Manhattan Oil com-
pany they paid for it \$1,554,000
cash and assumed \$300,000 in out-
standing bonds.

Value of Contract.

"And you turned over this prop-
erty, its 20,000 shares and quick as-
sets, to the General Industrial and
Development company of London for
\$615,000 in cash and the Standard
contract, the London concern assum-
ing the \$300,000 in bonds?" asked
Mr. Kellogg.

"Yes, that is right."

"And then you—I mean the stock-
holder of the People's Gas, Light
and Coke company—paid more than
\$1,300,000 for that contract, didn't
you?"

"We got the contract from the
London company," Brady replied.

"I know that, but you turned over
a growing concern that cost you
\$1,954,000 for \$615,000 and a con-
tract, the contract calling for the
Standard Oil company to supply the
Chicago company with oil at 1 1/2
cent a gallon for a period of ten
years?"

"Yes, we did."

HUGHES NOT OUT FOR G. O. P. NOMINATION

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Governor
Charles E. Hughes last night made a
declaration of his attitude toward
the presidential nomination, when in
an address at a dinner given in his
honor by the republican club, he said:

"I did not seek any public office. I
have not sought, nor shall I seek,
directly or indirectly, to influence the
selection or the vote of any delegate
to any convention, and with refer-
ence to any convention there will be
no suggestion or thought of influence,
protest or reprisal in the executive
chamber."

It was at this same club that Mr.
Hughes announced his acceptance of
the gubernatorial nomination.

CHOATE ACTS AT CONVENTION FOR U. S.

THE HAGUE, Oct. 19.—Joseph H.
Choate, head of the American dele-
gation to the international peace con-
ference, signed the final act of the
conference and the conventions
adopted to all of which he also af-
fixed his own personal seal. The
signatures were in alphabetical or-
der, the American coming next after
those of Germany (Allemagne).



JOHN MITCHELL AT HIS DESK.
PRESIDENT MITCHELL, who was recently operated on for appendicitis, will retire as chief executive officer of the United Mine Workers of America when his present term expires. President Mitchell has held his high office since September, 1903.

NORTH LUMBER CO. FAILS IN SOUTH

FOUNDED BY FORMER ONALAS-
KA RESIDENT

ASSETS DOUBLE LIABILITIES

Article in Lumber Journal Tells of
Misfortune and Indicates an
Early Reorganization

A receiver has been appointed for
the J. E. North Lumber company,
Bond, Miss., founded by J. E. North,
a former employee of the Nichols
Lumber company. North left Ona-
laska a few years ago, and from
reports received here, friends were
informed that the organizer and his
company were making rapid strides
in the lumber industry of the south
and were becoming rich.

Only a few weeks ago it was re-
ported that the company had been
sold to St. Louis, Mo., parties for
\$3,000,000. At that time no ques-
tion was raised.

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24 HEROES GET CARNEGIE MEDALS

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 19.—The regu-
lar fall meeting of the Carnegie hero
commission was held today in the
Carnegie Building, and F. H. Wil-
mot, the secretary, announced that
twenty-four persons throughout the
country had received awards for brave-
ry.

The number is the largest in the
history of the commission. With to-
night's awards 126 persons have been
benefitted by the hero fund, and
1,121 persons have been refused
either money or medals.

For the first time since the begin-
ning of the hero fund, a negro, John
B. Hill of Atlanta, Ga., received an
award.

The largest award to be made was
a gold medal and the sum of \$5,000
given to Andrew J. Hodger, who is
county superintendent of schools,
made a heroic rescue. Two men, Jo-
seph King and William Nunn, were
caught by a cave-in of sand while at
the bottom of a deep well at
Pierceville, Kan. Nunn was suffo-
cated and King was slowly dying.
Notwithstanding the fact that an-
other cave-in seemed sure within a
short time, Mr. Hodger was lowered
into the well and succeeded in sav-
ing King and recovering Nunn's
body. The night following the rescue
there was another fall of a ton or
more of the sand.

The money awarded Mr. Hodger
is to be used in educating his four
children.

GIRL KNOWN TO FAME MYSTERIOUSLY SHOT

MISS CLARA STEWART, SHORT
STORY WRITER, IS DEAD

FAMILY MIXED ON STORY

Police Use Threats to Gain Entrance
to House and Find Con-
flicting Tales

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Mystery
surrounds the death of Miss Clara
Stewart, the well known writer of
short stories, who died today with a
bullet in her heart.

The shooting occurred in the
home of her father, Tardiness in the
reporting of the death led to of-
ficial action. The police, on their
arrival, were refused admittance,
and were let in only after repeated
threats and a show of force to com-
pel admittance.

The family of Miss Stewart tell
conflicting stories of how the shoot-
ing occurred. One is that Miss
Stewart was cleaning the revolver
when it was accidentally discharged,
but no clear explanation of how she
came to be so engaged was given.
Another story was that she was pack-
ing her trunk, and when putting the
pistol into it the weapon was dis-
charged.

EDISON TO BUILD HOUSE IN A DAY

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—In greet-
ing the members of the American
Electro-Chemical society and show-
ing them through his laboratories
and manufacturing plants at Orange,
N. J., Thomas E. Edison made these
statements:

"Give Marconi ten years and he
will be sending over the Atlantic 1-
000 words a minute by wireless and
will be receiving at the same rate
of speed. The only limit to speed
in sending now is caused by the ab-
sorption of the electric waves by the
wire or cable. There is no such ab-
sorption in wireless telegraphy."

He then exhibited his plans for
building a concrete house in a day.

HE GOES TO TOKIO NEVER TO COME BACK

SEOUL, Oct. 19.—The deposed
Emperor of Korea is going to Tokio
to return the visit of the crown
prince of Japan to this country, and
according to a court rumor he never
will come back.

But the man who saws wood and
says nothing is not always as wise
as he seems.

RIVER FIRST IS MR. ESCH'S IDEA

ST. CROIX OUTFIT UNLIKELY TO
GET SUPPORT

WOULD KILL MAIN PROJECT

Local Congressman Believes Channel
Is First Thing to Accomplish;
Local Delegation Leaves

On Monday evening the La Crosse
delegation to the Upper Mississippi
River Improvement convention,
which will be in session on Tuesday
and Wednesday, at Moline, Ill., will
leave on the midnight train for that
place.

The committee is composed of
Aldermen Gus A. Keller, Hirsch-
heimer, and Houska, and they all ex-
pect to attend.

Congressman John J. Esch when
asked this morning whether he
would attend, said that on account
of the various business matters
which cannot be postponed he will
be unable to be present, but added
that the commission would not re-
quire his presence as they know that
he stands in favor of the improve-
ment question.

"Do you think that the deep wa-
ter canal project between the great
lakes and the head of the Missis-
sippi river will receive any attention
at this meeting?" the congressman was
asked.

"No, I believe not. The object is
to get the Mississippi river improve-
ment project cinched first. In ask-
ing for all projects at once the ap-
propriation necessary would be too
large and would not be given atten-
tion, and in arranging for the minor
projects such as that of the canal,
the main object would be lost."

River First.
"We wish to be sure of the im-
provement of the river first and the
canal project will naturally subse-
quently follow in its proper course."

The cities along the St. Croix
route, about 12 in number, all of
which will ask the La Crosse dele-
gate to favor their route, may there-
fore not expect much attention or re-
ceive the endorsement of the La
Crosse delegates at this convention.

I. C. COUNT WILL BE FINISHED ON MONDAY

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—Harriman
said today that the examination of
the Illinois Central proxies will prob-
ably be completed Monday night. It
is likely he will not be here to wit-
ness the vote for he is to be exam-
ined in New York Monday in connec-
tion with his refusal to answer cer-
tain questions of the interstate com-
mission. He will be represented in
Chicago by Harahan.

"BACK TO THE MINES" SAYS HURT HEINZE RIDGEWAY DECLINES

VICTIM OF WALL STREET WILL
SEEK OLD GROUNDS

CAN FORCE FIGHT THERE

Proposes to Fight Rodgers With 6-
Cent Copper—Ridgeley Is
Hesitating.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct.
19.—Comptroller Ridgeley de-
clines the presidency of the
Mercantile Bank of New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—"Back to
the mines," is said to be the plan
of F. A. Heinze to rehabilitate him-
self and wage war against his Wall
street enemies.

The reported sale of his stock will
yield enough to carry on his western
enterprises. One of Heinze's friends
said: "Heinze knows he can produce
copper at six cents a pound that will
drive other concerns out of busi-
ness."

Before leaving for Washington
last night Bank Comptroller Ridge-
ley said the question on the presi-
dency of the Mercantile National
Bank is still unsettled. Charles
Morse, a bank director, declares
Ridgeley has accepted the office.

Following a meeting of the clear-
ing house this morning it was re-
ported that the clearing house asso-
ciation will extend \$1,100,000 relief
to the Mercantile bank. This action
is temporary.

The stock market reflected the un-
certainty of the financial situation by
its irregularity. Coppers fluctu-
ated rapidly.

The Conditions.

Developments since yesterday were
as follows:

Bank situation improves with the
announcement that the clearing-
house committee has found the
Heinze institution solvent.

All the old directors of the Mercan-
tile National resign.

F. Augustus Heinze is reported to
have retaliated upon Charles W.
Morse for the latter's alleged
"treachery" in dumping United Cop-
per on the market. Morse's Consoli-
dated Steamship bonds suffered
heavy losses in the sale of \$1,700,
000 worth at as low as 17 1/2, a drop
of 19 points since last June.

KENOSHA PLANTS UNITE AGAINST UNION

KENOSHA, Wis., Oct. 19.—It be-
came known today that at a meeting
of representatives of every industrial
plant in the city last night steps
were completed for the formation of
a manufacturers' association. The
principles of the association as made
public practically declare for an open
shop in every plant in Kenosha.

The new order will affect 6,500
men, and the plants which have signed
the agreement have an annual pay
roll of more than \$5,000,000.

The announcement of the forma-
tion of the association came as a
surprise to labor leaders, who de-
clared tonight that within a few
weeks there would be 5,000 men
striking in the city.

WIFE OF WRITER MYSTERIOUSLY GONE

POINT PLEASANT, N. J., Oct. 19.
There is some speculation here as to
the whereabouts of Mrs. Upton H.
Sinclair, wife of the socialist and
novelist, author of "The Jungle,"
and exposer of Chicago packing
house secrets.

Her continued absence from the
Sinclair cottage at West Point Pleas-
ant has given rise to rumors, one of
which is that she may never return
here owing to differences with her
husband.

Her husband is in New York and
it is said by some that the woman
may be in a sanitarium.

WOMAN BEGGAR IS DEPORTED TODAY

The police this afternoon sent
south on the Milwaukee road a be-
ggar who gave her name as Bessie
Phillips and who has been in the
city for the past few days.

She accosted strangers and told a
"hard-luck" story of her life and ex-
periences which served to bring the
shelks.

The graft, however, was "worked"
too strong and the police finally ap-
prehended her and sent her out of
the city.

BRUIN IS SAFE, FOR TEDDY BREAKS CAMP

STAMBOUL, Oct. 19.—President
Roosevelt's bear hunt ends this ev-
ening. He breaks camp tomorrow
morning at Bear Lake and goes to
Stamboul, where he will be the guest
of Leo Shields until Monday fore-
noon, when he starts for Washington
via Vicksburg and Nashville.

UNIONS ARE "AGIN" SECRETARY OF WAR TAFT'S NOMINATION

STRIKING ILLUSTRATION IN
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES IS NON-UNION

Union Sympathisers are Promptly
Put Out of Way and Detectives
Boot Out Organizers.

Washington Bureau of
The La Crosse Tribune.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 19.
(By J. C. Welliver.)

"The town of Los Angeles, where
a man who belongs to a labor union
can't get a job, is solid for Taft for
president. The town of San Fran-
cisco, which I suppose is the strong-
est union labor town in the country,
is all against Taft."

This was the striking comment of
a very prominent California public
man who has been in Washington
this week. The speaker is a man
whose word goes far when the de-
termination of a California delega-
tion's complexion is at issue.

"There isn't any place in the
country where more remarkable ex-
tremes in regard to the labor ques-
tion can be found than in Califor-
nia," he continued. "General Harri-
son Gray Otis is the man who has
led the great fight against labor in-
unionism in southern California. His
Los Angeles Times has been the in-
strument through which he has
worked. Today in Los Angeles no
union man has a chance. If a man
applies for work anywhere he is re-
quired to give assurance that he is
not a union man. Detectives are ev-
erywhere watching out for organiz-
ers in behalf of unions. If a man is
under suspicion of trying to unionize
a bunch of workmen anywhere he
is gotten rid of without delay. A
man who is discovered to belong to
a union or to sympathize with any
project of union organization is
dropped. The Hearst paper in Los
Angeles doesn't advocate unionism;
it doesn't dare. Hearst's paper in San
Francisco strongly takes the union
side, but not so in southern Califor-
nia."

Coast for Roosevelt.

From this enlightening statement
about the California labor situation
the speaker turned to general polit-
ical matters. He believed the coast
is generally for another term of
Roosevelt, but was not able to guess
how it would stand if Roosevelt were
once definitely understood to be out
of consideration. The sending of the
fleet to the Pacific he thought had
greatly strengthened the president
in the far west; but really he found
less interest in the Japanese ques-
tion on the coast than in Washing-
ton.

Unions Against Japs.

"There it is again," he said. "If
there was to be a vote on it, Los
Angeles would vote to let the Japa-
nese and Chinese in; San Francisco
would vote against them. You can
take your choice. The coast is more
interested in the fleet from a com-
mercial standpoint than in any other
way. Its coming to the Pacific
means an immense expansion in the
naval establishment there. There
will be demand for more and bigger
naval bases. It seems to me likely
that a policy of more concentration
will finally come, in this matter of
naval bases, and that the removal
of the fleet may make it come now.
There are too many naval stations,
and log-rolling politics is responsi-
ble for it. Two great stations on the
Atlantic, two on the Pacific, at Bre-
merton and Mare Island, one at
Pearl Harbor in the Hawaiian Is-
lands, another at Cavite or Olongapo,
whichever is better suited for the
purpose, would seem to be a better
policy than the present one of num-
erous small establishments."

Weather forecasts today:

Wisconsin—Partly cloudy tonight
and Sunday; warmer tonight in
southeast portion Sunday.

Minnesota—Generally fair tonight
and Sunday; colder Sunday in west
portion.

Iowa—Partly cloudy tonight and
Sunday; warmer in east and south
portions tonight.

River Forecast.

The river will remain about sta-
tionary during the next 36 hours.

Water stages today:

Stage Change.

St. Paul 4.0 0.0
Red Wing 2.9 0.0
La Crosse 3.9 -0.1
Prairie du Chien 4.5 -0.1
Dubuque 5.0 -0.2
Le Claire 3.4 -0.1
Davenport 4.8 -0.2
Keokuk 4.8 -0.2
St. Louis 10.0 -1.6

WEATHER AND WATER

SPORTING NEWS

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS DEPART FOR SPARTA

SPARTA TEAM IS HEAVIER THAN THE LOCALS

EXPECT TRICK PLAYS TO WIN

Snappy Work Did Well Against the Scrubs and Team Hopes to Make it Tell Today.

The La Crosse high school football team left this morning for Sparta, where they will meet the Spartans in a high school eleven in battle royal.

The team is in the best of condition. For the past week the boys have been straining every effort to get into shape for the struggle with Sparta. As to weight the teams are evenly matched, Sparta having probably a shade the heavier team, although the La Crosse boys are playing a fast and snappy game, and their trick plays were always good for gains against the scrubs. The game was called at 2:30 this afternoon to enable some of the rooters to get home this evening. The line-up for the game is as follows:

W. Mueller—Center.
Keeler—Right guard.
Brindley—Left guard.
Stavrum—Right tackle.
Capt. A. Dahlgren—Left tackle.
W. Shirley—Right end.
Dickens—Left end.
Byrne—Quarter back.
W. Tourtellotte—Full back.
A. Larson—Right half back.
J. Fowler—Left half back.
Subs—J. Dahlgren, O. Mueller, H. Larson and Jacobson.

About a hundred rooters left on the noon Milwaukee and Northwestern trains to help the boys to victory.

STRANG MAY BE TEAM MANAGER

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Sammy Strang has probably played his last game with the Giants. He is one of several bidders for the Birmingham franchise in the Southern league. Sammy is a southern boy and wants to end his baseball days among his people. His father has asked him to take the step he contemplates, and if Strang accepts the job of managing the Birmingham team he will buy a block of stock big enough to give him a controlling interest.

BOOKMAKERS REAP ONE RICH HARVEST

TEMPUS FUGIT FAILS TO GET START AT LEXINGTON

TALENT AT TRACK IS UPSET

Geers' Horse Gets Flag in First Heat and Getting Way to the Rear Can't Get the Stride.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 19.—Through the defeat of Tempus Fugit in the first race here the talent was given the hardest blow of the meeting. After scoring several times for first heat the starter let the field go with Tempus Fugit in the rear and in a break as he passed under the wire. Before Geers could get him on his feet the other horses were a quarter of a mile in the lead and he was hopelessly shut out. Florence and St. Peter also caught the flag in the first heat which was full of mishaps.

Codero, getting a flying start, trotted away from the field as if he was much the best and won easily. Margaret O. easily took the next three heats. After the second heat the best Codero could do was to trail the field and take second money in the final summary.

Out of ten starters in the second race, for 2:17, paces five caught the flag in the first and second heats. Major Mallow had no trouble in winning in consecutive heats. Summaries:

First race, the West stake, 2:29 trotting class, purse \$2,000, best three in five—
Margaret O. 3 1 1 1
Codero 1 2 4 4
Tokio 2 4 2 2
Hester Schuyler 4 3 3 2
Tempus Fugit, St. Peter, and Florence started.
Time, 2:09½, 2:11¼, 2:12, 2:12½.
Second race, 2:17 class pacing, purse \$1,000, best three in five—
Major Mallow 1 1 1
Arrow 4 2 3
The Dude 5 2 2
Mosie L. 3 4 5
Lottie M., Hal Cassius, Wanda H., Dr. Milson, Dr. Leon, and Edith O. started.
Time, 2:07¾, 2:09¾, 2:11, 2:11½.
Third race, 2:18 class trotting, purse \$1,000, best three in five—
Icon 2 1 1 1

Health—Economy



Lottie M. 1 4 7 6
May K. 7 2 2 5
Margaret 3 7 3 2
Dodge, Idora, Composer, Dan K., and Helen Gould started.
Time, 2:10½, 2:20, 2:10¾, 2:10.

NEARY TO FIGHT DUTCHMAN IN WEST

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 19.—Charlie Neary is going to try his luck in the west again. The rugged Dutchman has been offered a match with Peter Sullivan, the eastern fighter, by a club in Salt Lake City, and if a difference of three hours in weighing in time can be satisfactorily adjusted, he will soon shake the dust of Milwaukee from his feet.

The offer calls for a ten round battle at 133 pounds at 6 o'clock, or at catch weights. Neary is willing to fight if the weighing time is changed to 3 o'clock. The difference is so slight, however, that little trouble is expected in coming to an agreement.

FOOTBALL GAMES.

Football games for today:
Lawrence vs. Hamline, St. Paul.
Beloit vs. Ripon, Beloit.
Lake Forest vs. Northwestern, Watertown.
Harvard vs. Annapolis, Annapolis.
Yale vs. West Point, West Point.
Minnesota vs. Nebraska, Minneapolis.
Chicago vs. Illinois, Champaign.

His Dear Old Mother.
"My dear old mother, who is now eighty-three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. R. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children, too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by O. T. Erhart, druggist, 50c.

The lofty work often fails to the lowly in spirit.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE ON THE GRIDIRON

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS GO TO SPARTA AT NOON.

EXPECT TO NOSE OUT VICTORY

Wisconsin Squad Will Battle Today on Camp Randall Field With the Freshmen Scrubs.

LOCAL.
La Crosse High school vs. Sparta High school, at Sparta, STATE.

West Division vs. Racine High in Racine.
East Division vs. Racine college in Racine.

Marquette academy vs. Lake Forest academy in Lake Forest.
Physicians and Surgeons vs. Carroll, in Waukesha.
Appleton vs. Fond du Lac in Appleton.
Lawrence II. vs. St. Johns in Delafield.

WEST.

Wisconsin vs. Freshmen in Madison.
Ripon vs. Beloit in Beloit.
Lake Forest vs. Northwestern in Watertown.

Lawrence vs. Hamline in St. Paul.
Chicago vs. Illinois in Champaign.
Michigan vs. Indiana in Indianapolis.

Nebraska vs. Minnesota in Minneapolis.

Oberlin vs. Case in Oberlin.

Mich. Aggies vs. Notre Dame in Lansing.

Wabash vs. De Pauw in Greencastle.

Missouri vs. Iowa in Iowa City.

Monmouth vs. Lombard in Galesburg.

Ohio vs. Wooster in Columbus.

Kansas vs. Oklahoma in Oklahoma City.

Colorado vs. Colorado Aggies in Boulder.

EAST.

Pennsylvania vs. Brown in Philadelphia.

Lafayette vs. Brown in Philadelphia.

Lafayette vs. Fordham in Easton.

Swarthmore vs. George Washington in Philadelphia.

Syracuse vs. Williams in Syracuse.

Yale vs. Army in West Point.

Indians vs. Bucknell in Carlisle.

Haverford vs. New York university in Haverford.

North Carolina vs. W. and M. in Chapel Hill.

Princeton vs. Washington and Jefferson in Princeton.

Harvard vs. Navy in Annapolis.

Cornell vs. Penn State in Ithaca.

Stevens vs. Johns Hopkins in New York.

Amherst vs. Trinity in Amherst.

Lehigh vs. Medico-Chicago in South Bethlehem.

Ursinus vs. Dickinson in Collegeville.

Baltimore vs. Maryland in Baltimore.

Wesleyan vs. Tuft in Middletown.

Dartmouth vs. Maine in Portland.

DOESN'T THINK HAGUE CONFERENCE A FAILURE.

(New York Tribune.)

We are very far from conceding that the congress is or is not to be a failure. It is a great thing to get practically all the nations of the world together in peaceful council. This is the first time in history that that has been done—for in the former congress at The Hague only two American nations were represented. It is a great thing to have the once despised and rejected states of Latin America recognized as equal sovereigns, and also recognized—some of them—as the peers of any in the world in both intellect and morals. A few years ago European statesmen and publicists were habitually speaking of the South American states as barbarous affairs, which would doubtless be "rushed" and annexed by European powers at some not distant time. Now European statesmen are confessing that they have something to learn in diplomacy and in constructive statesmanship from those very states. We think the whole attitude of Europe toward the American continents will be changed, and changed in an eminently desirable direction, because of this congress at The Hague.

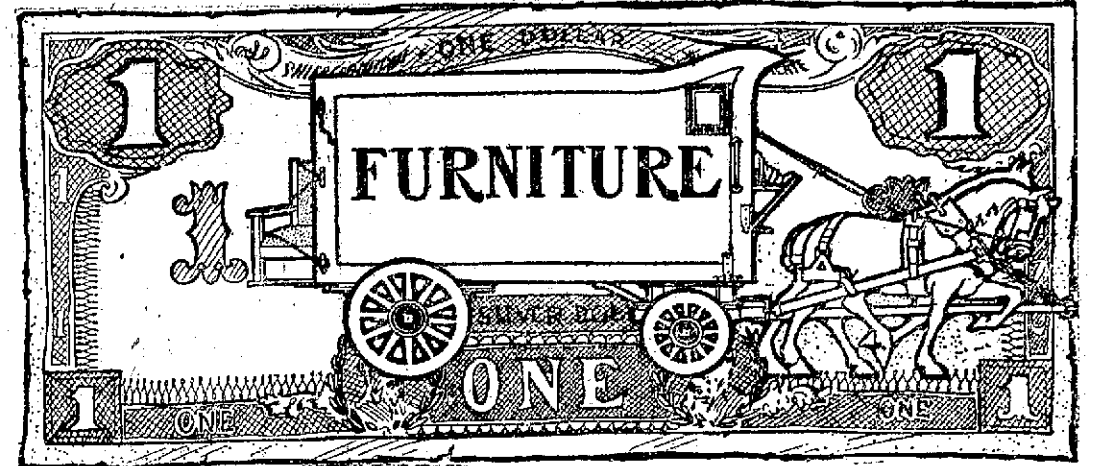
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OFFICIAL SCHEDULE OF WHEELING EVENTS

October 19, Algonquin, Ill.—Chicago Motorcycle club's annual hill climbing contest; open.

October 20, Valley Stream, N. Y.—New York division C. R. C. A.'s 10-mile championship and 5-mile handicap; association members.

October 20, Newark, N. J.—Bay View Wheelmen's annual hare and hounds chase.

October 26, Milwaukee, Wis.—Milwaukee Motorcycle club's track meet; open.

October 27, Bedford Rest, Brooklyn, N. Y.—New York division, C. R. C. A.'s annual 100 mile record run; open.

October 27, Salinas, Cal.—Fifty-mile match for relay championship of the Pacific coast, between Bay City and Garden City wheelmen. Ten men teams, each to ride five miles.

November 2-9, New York city—Automobile and Motorcycle show in Madison Square Garden.

November 11-16, Boston, Mass.—Six-day professional bicycle races.

December 9-14, New York city, N. Y.—Fifteenth annual international six days' professional bicycle race at Madison Square Garden.

Indoor Racing at Frisco.

A three months' season of indoor bicycle racing on a regulation banked track will, it is expected, shortly be inaugurated at San Francisco's Pavilion. It is the intention of the cycling enthusiasts to devote two nights a week, Tuesdays and Friday, to the sport. It is reported that several of the Salt Lake cracks and fully a score of the fastest riders about San Francisco have already been signed.

Road Racing Licenses.

Licenses have been issued by the National Cycling association, to the following riders, for road racing only: J. Nash, McCrear, Springfield, Ill.; Charles De Salvo, Andrew Caradino, Patrick Donato, Ernest Hugin, George Thoreakos, William Schaefer, Sylvain Segal, John Everett Fee, Louis Heydet, New York City; Samuel Struber, Daniel Gordon, S. J. Reilly, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Maurice Metzger, Michael Majestic, John Miller, William Ackerman, John Hock, Long Island City.

Milwaukee Meeting.

The Milwaukee Motorcycle club proposes to make its meet on Oct. 26th, an event long to be remembered in cycling circles, and several features on the card will be unusual. Among other events, the five mile national championship will probably be included in the program, and also the first team race of 50 miles for the Beets Shield.

Critic—"All he does is to come on in the third act and get away with a plate of spaghetti. I thought you said he gave a neat performance." Manager—"You misunderstood me. I said an eat performance."

ANOTHER POINTER FOR THE TRIBUNE'S CONTESTANTS

THE "MAN BEHIND THE COUNTER" SAYS YOU MUST WORK.

Yesterday, in this column, we told the Tribune's fair contestants about how good they were going to feel when the congratulations were coming in and there will be twenty-six winners in line for congratulation on their good work and their estimable standing in their various communities.

Now, right here, we will not admit that there is any one contestant that will not be in line, as even those who are well down in the list may at any time "bou up serenely" and show her sprinting powers; it all depends upon the hustle they make between this time and the final count.

A great deal may be done in these few days by any candidate with good health and the will to back up her energies in her desire to win one of the twenty-six prizes.

Any one of the three district prizes are well worthy any effort you make to get them; jewelry—the delight of every feminine heart; an eminently successful career in life, so easily obtained by so little effort, but so evanescent in aspect when you have to pile up the dollars one by one.

Why not try again—you who entered the lists along in the beginning with bright hopes and have since dropped out, or are waiting by the wayside; why do you not realize the possibilities in the contest and jump in at this stage of the conflict and win one of these prizes. Give a little more time, a little more perseverance, sticktoitiveness is the word, homely but effective, and get out among your friends, your acquaintances, even among the other fellows' acquaintances—if you don't know them, get to know them! A little mix won't matter—a contest is in its nature "a mix up" if it is at all spirited and we want it to be spirited. We want you to show signs of life this is a battle of wits as well as of brawls and we hold the fair readers of the Tribune as intellectually competent to cope with this problem of getting something for nothing as any bunch of American Beauties that could be found between Canada and the Gulf.

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Your friends will then realize that you are a stayer and must be supported at all hazards.

Get them to rally around your standard and all pull together; only a week left, but a great deal may be accomplished in a week if you set about it with the determination to win one of these prizes. Give a little more time, a little more perseverance, sticktoitiveness is the word, homely but effective, and get out among your friends, your acquaintances, even among the other fellows' acquaintances—if you don't know them, get to know them! A little mix won't matter—a contest is in its nature "a mix up" if it is at all spirited and we want it to be spirited. We want you to show signs of life this is a battle of wits as well as of brawls and we hold the fair readers of the Tribune as intellectually competent to cope with this problem of getting something for nothing as any bunch of American Beauties that could be found between Canada and the Gulf.

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6-Fri.	21-Sat.	5,400
7-Sat.	22-Sunday	5,420
8-Sunday	23-Mon.	5,420
9-Mon.	24-Tues.	5,510
10-Tues.	25-Wed.	5,530
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THE RESTLESS CORRESPONDENT.

"Roosevelt bagged a bear. There
was great joy in camp."
O Joy! O fiddlerssticks! It does
sometimes look like as how the pre-
sident of the United States had a
bad case of belfry infatigability. The
way the news dispatches handled the
effusions that come from the picture-
esque (in print) canebreakers is
enough to justify a dose of mental
poison.

No doubt a bear will be bagged
the first day, as they are plenty.
First day—no bear. Too much noise
pitching camp. Second day—no
bear. Heavy fog. Third day—no
bear. Dogs young and green. Steenth
day—one bear. Great joy. "Dies
quidem supplicatio decreta est."

What ostentation! What egotism!
What trash! What a chance for Dr.
Long to avenge himself for that Mrs.
Caudle lecture about "nature fak-
ers!"

Seems so don't it? But if we
will be fair, and think, there's nothing
to it. The president in seeking this
recreation has so isolated him-
self from the world that at least two
things have happened which he
might have, and - probably would
have, prevented had he been within
the range of human events. It is the
cry for "copy" from the newspapers,
the journalistic avidity for head-
liners. The busy correspondent does
it, and Roosevelt, poor man, cannot
help it. One might as fairly blame
the bear.

HIS PROFESSIONAL MEMORY.

William G. Rockefeller, a nephew
of the celebrated and thrifty "John
D.," and also secretary, treasurer
and various other things of the var-
ious Standard Oil constituent com-
panies, was on the witness stand
yesterday and proved as enthusi-
astically forgetful of things a man in
his position should have known as
have any of his predecessors who
have been placed under the search-
light of the law.

Young Willie says he paid to an
English company, of the ownership
of which by Standard Oil he had no
knowledge, two and a half million
dollars simply because this company
"ordered his company to pay it."
One wonders whether these rich

men tell palpable lies in the hope
that courts and juries are conveni-
ently stupid, or simply as a matter of
habit. A clean breast of it would
be more apt to get them off easily
than will prevarication that is an
insult to the intelligence of those
who listen and judge.

FISH SHOULD WIN.

Fine yarn that about the pot and
the kettle. One thinks of it when
reading the daily incriminations and
reprimands of Harriman and Fish
in their well advertised if not digni-
fied "scrap" for the control of the
Illinois Central.

Fish says Harriman is using this
great road merely as a feeder for his
other trunk lines, and is thereby
making it part of a traffic trust, to
the detriment of its stockholders.
Harriman replies that Fish "borrowed"
a million dollars from the road
on insufficient security to which he
himself affixed the official O. K.

Both probably tell the truth. Fish,
however, repaid his possibly ques-
tionable loan, while Harriman is
still intent on robbing the public. On
the whole, a victory for Fish would
be as desirable as it is improbable.

A POET ON RACE ROWS.

The tendency to attribute imprac-
ticability to poets makes it difficult
to take Rudyard Kipling's suggested
solution of the Oriental cheap labor
problems seriously, but a student of
his works must admit that in those
of his poems that are comprehensible
there is more truth than poetry.

"Pump European immigrants into
the Pacific coast regions," says Kipling.
The demand for labor is there,
and if white labor cannot be had,
yellow labor will get the job.

There is reason in this. Out west
the Chinaman is the hired girl. In-
deed, he may bring the final solution
of the domestic servant problem for
the entire country, and he certainly
does shine in the kitchen. Unless
some other relief from this domestic
demand comes, it may not be un-
profitable to give the Chinese the
"wash-washer" job. But with the
strength there is in the labor unions,
and with plenty of whites to do the
work, he would find it hard sledding
to wealth in competition with Cau-
casian workmen.

"CRISIS?" YES? NO?

Carnegie says there will be a
"financial crisis." Harriman says
there will not. As it is all about
money, these two men who have so
much of it should be authority.

Carnegie has made his money, and
has given lots of it away. He is al-
most out of it, and need not fear to
tell the truth. Harriman is still
seeking to make money, and might
have a selfish interest in "boosting"
conditions.

Carnegie says there will be a "fi-
nancial crisis," and that it may do
good by discouraging wildcat plung-
ing. We believe he is right, in a
way. The crisis has already come to
Helm. It has come to others who
have provoked the wrath of Dame
Fortune by the audacity of their
financial "monkey-work." There will
be a crisis for Harriman, if he con-
tinues to tempt the temper of the
public by flouting the laws.

But there will be no "financial
crisis" for those who hew and hatter
and haul in the ordinary old honest
ways.

MILWAUKEE ASSESSMENTS.

Regarding the complaint that there
is something fictitious, affecting
taxes, in the fact that property ap-
praisals in La Crosse show an in-
crease of nearly a million dollars in
property values here, another com-
parison may be of interest.

The report of the state tax com-
mission shows that the property in
the city of Milwaukee has advanced
in value 14 millions during the year.
Here is a tabulation:

La Crosse—population 30,000—In-
crease in property assessment, \$1,
000,000.

Milwaukee—population 300,000—
Increase in property assessment, \$14,
000,000.

Milwaukee, it will be seen, has
about ten times as many people as
La Crosse, and were its increase in

MEN OF NOTE



Theodore A. Bingham

Theodore Alfred Bingham, who is
prominent as the reforming police
commissioner of New York city is a
retired army officer with a fine rec-
ord. He was born in Tolland coun-
ty, Conn., on May 14th, 1858. He
early evinced a desire for a military
career and was graduated from West
Point in 1879. He was made an
military attaché at Berlin in 1900
and stayed there for two years when
he was transferred to Rome for two
more years. He was retired with the
rank of Brigadier General in 1904.

property values proportionately con-
servative, it would have shown an
advance of but \$10,000,000, instead
of one of \$14,000,000.

So the La Crosse assessors have
been less "aggressive"—which means
attentive to duty—than have those
who have "jumped" properly higher
and who have not been adversely
criticized for doing their duty.

It is understood that George
Kingsley has decided to ask the leg-
islature to legalize selling and for-
bid pole fishing. He got the idea
when he saw the catch that came
from the Toolter houseboat.

One wonders that the appearance
of that government balloon in Ohio
didn't give rise to rumors that Tait
had returned.

It wasn't the Heinz of pickle
fame, even if he was handed a
lemon.

If Harriman gets all that I. C.
stock, there will be one Fish out of
water.

FASHION HINTS

(By May Mantion.)



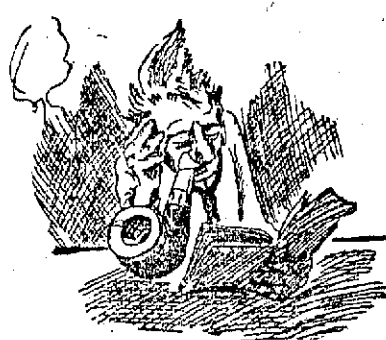
5600 Doll's Jumper Costume,
18, 22 and 26 inches long.

Consisting of Skirt, Jumper and
Gumpe.

Every normal little girl likes to
see her dollies well dressed and
daughters of wise mammas are apt
to make the garments themselves.
Here is a dainty yet simple little
dress that will not strain the powers
of even the beginner in needlework
while it is smart and altogether at-
tractive. The jumper waist is of
the newest sort with narrow Man-
darin sleeves, and the plaited skirts
is just like the favorite one of the
real, live school girls. In this case
the frock is made of cashmere, in
one of pretty rose colors that are so
fashionable, and the gumpe of em-
brodered Swiss muslin but there are
as many materials appropriate for
dolly as for her live prototype. Chal-
lis, henrietta cloth, albatross, voile,
taffeta for the entire frocks, serge,
chiffon broadcloth, and the like for
the heavier skirts with gumpe of
silk in matching color, offer a wide
range of choice. The gumpe is ap-
propriate for all lingerie materials
and for thin silk and countless sug-
gestions as to treatment might be
made. Plaids in bright colors with
bias bands or velvet ribbon as trim-
ming would be very pretty, plain
color with plaid bands is smart and
waist and skirt can be trimmed as
illustrated or to match as liked.

The pattern 5606 is cut in sizes
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insures more prompt delivery.)

JUST LIFE



The Old Story.
Mary had a little lamb,
Who used to like his beer,
But since he's been with Mary,
He has cut it out—how queer!

A Substitute.

We promised
Yesterday we'd write
Some verse
Most every day;
So we'll keep it,
But we simply
Want to say
That writing verse
When one feels "off"
Is worse
Than sawing wood,
And sawing—
Well, we wouldn't,
And we wouldn't
If we would.
Verse to be
Of merit should
Be kind of soft and sweet,
And pictures we
Put in it should
Be good enough to eat;
But we have got
A cold today,
In fact we feel like sin,
And so we cut
The poem out,
And put this make-shift in.

Liquor makes the talk grow
stronger.

Harvest Days.

(Dedicated to "Heinie.")
Hark! the happy plumber is out
beating on the pipe,
He likes the whistle of the autumn
breeze;
'Tis the season when his harvest is
beginning to get ripe,
For soon the gas and water pipes
will freeze.

Now "naval experts" employed in
the city newspapers, have it that Ja-
pan will seize Alaska.

Still "Spy."

It is to be presumed that the far-
mer who inserted this advertisement
in the Fenimore (Wis.) Times is
still "spy."

"WANTED"—The undersigned,
a resident of the town of
Marion, is anxious to enter into
a matrimonial alliance with any
woman from 18 to 30 years of
age. All women must furnish
best of references. All unmar-
ried ladies or widows own-
ing 80 or more acres of land,
or possessing a substantial in-
come, need not send photo-
graphs, but all others must.
Parties must be high-lived. All
correspondence will be regarded
as confidential. George Stein.

—W. V. K.

OF HUMAN INTEREST

"Children are the rarest things."
I heard a lady say one day and I
think that covers the ground pretty
well.

And aren't children past masters
in the art of refined cruelty, espe-
cially toward each other? They seem
to ferret out one another's choicest
secrets and to be utterly unabashed
in the laying of them bare to the
gaze and hearing of the multitude.
Of course as we get older we learn
to keep our secret thoughts to our-
selves and to cover many shortcom-
ings with at least an outward show
of politeness and kindness.

And when you stop to think of
it, it is truly the greatest kindness
to sometimes appear to be what we
are not. Do any of us like plain un-
varnished statements, flung straight
at us without any softening, even if
they are true? I heard a woman re-
mark once, "Well, I always say just
exactly what I think and I don't go
behind folks' backs to tell them just
what I think of them." There are
some folks like this, and they are
always feared to a certain extent, seldom
loved and often avoided.

This is in a great measure the
child's way—the inability to use any
diplomacy—and from child to child
probably does not contain as much
sting as when resorted to by older
people.

Mothers are almost helpless before
this phase of child-life. The other
day going past the school grounds
I heard three or four little boys
planning a game and perceiving a lit-
tle fellow o' the outskirts, just as
they were ready to begin they ousted
him bodily with "Aw, you can't play
with us, your folks are poor." Away
he turned to hunt up some others
who perhaps would let him join in.

Then if a child has any physical
defects or deformities how quickly
he will be told of it and the nick-
names given in school days stick for-
ever. "Red," "sorrel-top," "ginger-
snap," "bow-legs," "fatty" and do-
zens of such appellations which are
nearly always very appropriate.

Children will invariably hunt out
each other's weaknesses, but if they
can only be taught to sympathize and
be sorry for any who are not so for-
tunate as themselves, half the battle
is won, for in nearly every case be-
neath the taunting exterior of these
young urchins lie warm loyal little
hearts that will respond to another's
tale of woe if properly presented.

MARY ANN.

THE GIANT'S STRENGTH

BY BASIL KING

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"You would if you'd been struck
by lightning," he returned, with a
sharpness of tone that surprised her.
"You would if you'd been crippled
and blinded and left all but dead.
The bright spring morning would
bring a rather belated cheerfulness
then."

"I didn't mean that," she began,
apologetically.
"No, Lady Alice; but I have to
mean it. I can't shut my eyes to the
fact that the two lives nearest mine
are blasted beyond all hope. The cu-
rious thing is that the power that did
it should have come right under my
hand. Can't you see that when I
look at that?" he nodded in the di-
rection of his mother's chair—"when
I look at Marrah the temptation to
strike back should be almost irresist-
ible?"

"I can understand that easily
enough. The instinct is as primitive
as mother's love. But in this sophis-
ticated age of the world's history
most people think that, after defeat,
reconstruction is wiser than re-
venge."

"Ah, yes," he laughed, with a curi-
ous glitter in the eyes, "but in my
case revenge would take the form of
what you call reconstruction."
"I see."

"You see some of it—not all."
"The revenge of Rome on the
Capulets, off I presume the motive
would be Romeo's as well as—all the
rest of it."

"One has a right to presume any-
thing on a subject that is no more
than the baseless fabric of a vi-
sion."
"As yet."

He made no response.
"As yet," she insisted.

"As yet, if you like," he smiled.
"Ah, well, I've no more time to
talk of it," she sighed, picking up
her gloves from a small table. "I
must be going. I suppose you know,"
she continued, glancing up at him
sideways, "that there'd be a fight
the doors wouldn't be flung open to
you, for instance, to my brother
Ludovic."

Winship shrugged his shoulders
and said nothing.

"And so, in the end, you might
fall."

"I couldn't fall," he answered,
quickly, "not now. However it turned
out, the victory would be mine—
now. In the one case, Paul Trafford
would carry a wound in his side; in
the other he'd get it in the heart."
Lady Alice paused, with her glove
half drawn on, and regarded him.
"Hump!" she sniffed at last. "I be-
lieve you Winships are Corsicans, af-
ter all—you and Marrah, too."

CHAPTER X.

At the Pavillon d'Armenonville, in
Bois de Boulogne, it was the
last hour of the afternoon—all
the more crowded because the day
was one of those in early spring
when it seems a rare pleasure to sit
out-of-doors, under the foliage still
too tender to keep off the grate-
ful warmth of the sun. In the long gal-
lery, and beneath the trees, there
was such a movement of going and
coming, such a rustle of silks and
satins, such a hum of talk and laugh-
er, such a calling of greetings and
farewells, such a tinkle of cups and
glasses, that two ladies seated by
themselves could be intimately alone.
Lady Alice had foreseen this when
she invited Paula to tea with her.

At the table nearest them, a young
actress of the Comedie was entertain-
ing a party of friends; beyond them,
a couple of clean-shaven American
lads were having a Scotch-and-soda;
farther off, a group of English peo-
ple, on their way from the Riviera,
were taking tea; the Italians at an-
other table, and the South Americans
at still another, were regaling them-
selves with pink and pea-green
drinks and ices. Up to the main
door there was a long, double pro-
cession of carriages, motor-cars, and
cabs. Liveried chasseurs ran to and
fro, to welcome the arriving, and
speed the departing, guest. Swans
were floating on the lake in the
foreground, and a faint, sweet per-
fume came up from the beds of hya-
cintus on its banks. Overhead, birds
were flitting and chirping, in the
ardor of building their nests; while
above and through and beneath all
other sounds came the wild twanging,
clanging, heart-breaking music of
the Hungarian Tziganes.

Neither of the two women paid di-
rect attention to these things; they
only submitted unconsciously to the
influence of what is a little out of
the common. The glamour of the
sunshine, the strains of the gypsy air,
the subtle sense of the romantic
that diffuses itself in any rich, leis-
ured, cosmopolitan crowd, made it
possible, for Paula at least, to speak
as she could not have spoken with-
out the stimulus and support of an
accompaniment.

"Yes, Ludovic will be back again
in a few weeks," Lady Alice sighed,
as she put down her cup. "Poor boy,
I hope the trip will have done him
good."

"I'm sure I hope so," Paula mur-
mured, politely.
"He sails from Cape Town tomor-
row. That'll make it about three
months altogether since he left
Monte Carlo."

"About that, I think," Paula mur-
mured again, trying to look any-
where but at her hostess.

"Of course," Lady Alice ventured,
boldly. "I never asked him what took
place between you. I wouldn't. I
think one can never be too delicate
about matters of that sort. But, natu-
rally, one has one's surmises, don't
they?"

Paula admitted as much as that.
"I knew you'd say so," Lady Alice
pursued, as though relieved by Paul-
ine's assent. "One has their surmis-
ings, and they can't help it. But I
never talk about such things. What

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to take alum and sulphuric acids into your stomach.

STUDY THE LABEL

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

Haunted.

A statesman spread a banquet once,
The caterer, an arrant dunce,
Put cocktails in the bill,
And now, where'er that statesman
goes,
Those cocktails haunt him still.

Friends told him this insidious drink
Would lure his guests to ruin's brink,
That it was Satan's swill,
'Twas then that they began to haunt
Till, now he's pale and worn and
gaunt,
And cocktails haunt him still.

He sought to square himself by
speech,
The water wagon gave a screech
That caused his nerves to thrill;
In vain he sought a distant state,
For there, 'tis grievous to relate,
Those cocktails haunt him still.

He saw a girl fall from her boat—
And saved her from the spill;
But sadly smiled at all acclaim;
Alas, what's bravery, what's fame,
When cocktails haunt him still?
—Philadelphia Ledger.

Great Talkers.

"But, to my mind," said the cler-
ical tourist from the east, "a plurality
of wives is unspeakable."
"Huh!" snorted the good natured
Mormon. "I never even heard of one
wife that was unspeakable."—Phila-
delphia Press.

Might Make a Hit.

The Manager—I've got a new idea
for a melodrama that ought to make
a hit.

The Writer—What is it?
The Manager—The idea is to in-
troduce a cyclone in the first act that
will kill all the actors.—Harper's
Weekly.

The All-Absorbing Problem.

"Newton discovered why the apple
fell down, did he not?"
"He did."

"Well, then, it remains for some
equally brilliant mind to discover
why it is that plums fall to those
higher up."—London Tribune.

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ASK ONALASKA FOR FRANCHISES

WATER POWER COMPANY AFTER FIFTY YEAR RIGHT

TRACTION LINE WANTED TOO

New Company Would Get Right to Run Interurban Through Neighboring City to Winona

The La Crosse Water Power company, and the La Crosse & Winona Traction companies have applied in Onalaska for fifty year franchises to furnish light and power and to run an interurban line through the streets of the city.

One is described as "An ordinance authorizing the La Crosse Water Power company of La Crosse, Wisconsin, its successors or assigns, to complete, maintain and operate an electric light and power plant in the

city of Onalaska, Wisconsin, and to vend electricity to the city of Onalaska and its inhabitants, and to persons living in the vicinity thereof."

The other is "An ordinance to authorize the La Crosse and Winona Traction company, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain and operate street and interurban railways in the city of Onalaska, Wisconsin.

The ordinances are now being advertised according to law.

NORTH SIDERS ATTEND GAME

A large number of North Side young people left on the noon train today for Sparta where they will attend the football game between the La Crosse high school and the Sparta team. Both teams are fast and a good game is expected.

A number also left at eight o'clock this morning.

RETURN FROM A PARTY AT DUBUQUE

A number of North Side women have returned from Dubuque where they attended a party given there in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Fox of Dubuque. Those in the party were the Mesdames C. Schaffer, J. Brewer, C. Pierce, E. Merrill, J. Schweigert.

Many a man who gives up a dollar to the church on Sunday expects the Lord to give him back \$10 the next day.

FIFTH WARD PLAYS ONALASKA TODAY

FAST GAME NEAR SUMMIT STOVE WORKS

SEEK FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS

Defeat of the Tenth Ward Team Has Put Them in Line for High Honors

The Fifth Ward football team will meet the Second Onalaska High school team this afternoon at the grounds near the Summit stove works.

The Fifth Ward team is considered one of the fastest in this section and their recent defeat of the Tenth Ward gave to them the championship of the north side and they will do everything this afternoon to try and score against Onalaska.

The Onalaska team is by no means slow and will no doubt put up a fast game. The games put up by the Fifth Wards are witnessed every Saturday by a large number of North side enthusiasts, and the game this afternoon will be no exception. Last night the team received nothing but good fast signal practice and they will go into the game today with the firm determination to win.

FIVE MEN GET BRAKEMEN POSTS

On account of the increasing business on the Burlington road a number of new brakemen have been employed. Just recently four men were raised to conductors.

Five new brakemen were put on the board yesterday.

ILLINOIS PASTOR WILL BE HERE TOMORROW

On account of the North Presbyterian pulpit being vacant through the leaving of Mr. Turner, the former pastor, the pulpit will be filled tomorrow both morning and evening by Rev. A. A. Randall of Princeton, Ill. He is the guest waiter in the city of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Foster of 1603 Charles street.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Henry A. Davis, drug clerk at the H. L. Partridge drug store, has gone to Madison, Wis., where he will visit with friends for a few days.

A. E. Duffy, superintendent of the steam shovel at Galesburg, is in the city for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

At the home of Mrs. A. Chubb, 1447 Wood street, the second dollar social given by the ladies of the Tabernacle Baptist church was held Tuesday evening. The guests were entertained with a musical program after which refreshments were served.

Frank Faller, who has been employed for the last few years at the drug store of John Brakke, has left for Bangor, Wis., where he has accepted a position as clerk in the drug store of Gus Giesinger.

Next Tuesday evening, Oct. 22, a social entertainment will be given in the parlors at the Bethel Lutheran church on George street. The entertainment program will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. The congregation will also have the opportunity of viewing the new parsonage which has been recently completed.

George Oelgander has returned from South Dakota, where he has been attending the funeral of his little grandchild.

Tom Harlan, a motorman in the employ of the City Railway company, has resigned his position with that company and has accepted one as switchman for the "Q."

Mrs. Smart and sister of Mill street left yesterday for Antigo, where they will visit Mrs. Smart's mother, who is seriously ill at that place.

Arthur Schultze left the North side to day for Winona, where he will spend some time on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Storey have returned for a visit in La Crosse after a short stay with friends and relatives in Chicago. They will remain here some time before returning to their home in Oregon.

Warren Smith who has been the guest of relatives and friends on the North side for some time, has returned to Fargo, N. D., where he is

employed by the Northern Pacific. The young ladies of the German Lutheran church on Avon street are holding a bazaar in the basement of the church. The public is cordially invited by the young ladies in charge to attend the affair.

Rev. A. L. Woods who has been ill at his home on Caledonia street for some time, is able to be about and his complete recovery is expected soon.

Mrs. William Blunchett, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Council Bluffs, Ia., has returned to her home on the North side.

Frank P. Gesler of Bangor is in La Crosse on business. Mr. Gesler recently sold his interests in the Bangor Independent and will leave soon for the west.

Local railroad men have brought to this city the news that the much talked of strike of the boiler makers in the shops at Dubuque failed to materialize and the men are all at their places.

Mrs. Charles James, 1131 Avon street, leaves for Milwaukee and Chicago to spend a few weeks with friends and relatives.

Y. M. C. A. NIGHT SCHOOL TO OPEN

On November 1, the Y. M. C. A. night school will open for the season and from present indications the school will be even a greater success than in former years.

There are many advantages in being connected with the association night school. Some of the most pronounced are:

First: The teachers are experts in the subjects they teach, and know the needs of the students.

Second: The personal touch of the teacher is of the utmost value. So many young men fall when they strike the hard spots. It is right here that a little personal help from the instructor means success and victory. There is no waiting, it is right at hand.

Third: There is also the inspiration to be had from mixing with other students of like ambitions. Study is made easy and pleasant when there are others to go ahead with you.

Fourth: The subjects are practical and of immediate value.

Fifth: The tuition fees are so low that no young man who wants to study is denied the privilege.

Sixth: The examinations are under the direction of some of the greatest educators of the country, and the certificates are accepted in upwards of two hundred of the leading colleges of America.

This course of study has been especially arranged for young men who have not had the advantages of a common school education.

The special lines of study will be arithmetic, spelling and the use of correct English, in writing and speaking. Work will also be given in American history and general geography.

The student is privileged to start at any point in any course of study and to advance as rapidly as his knowledge and industry will permit.

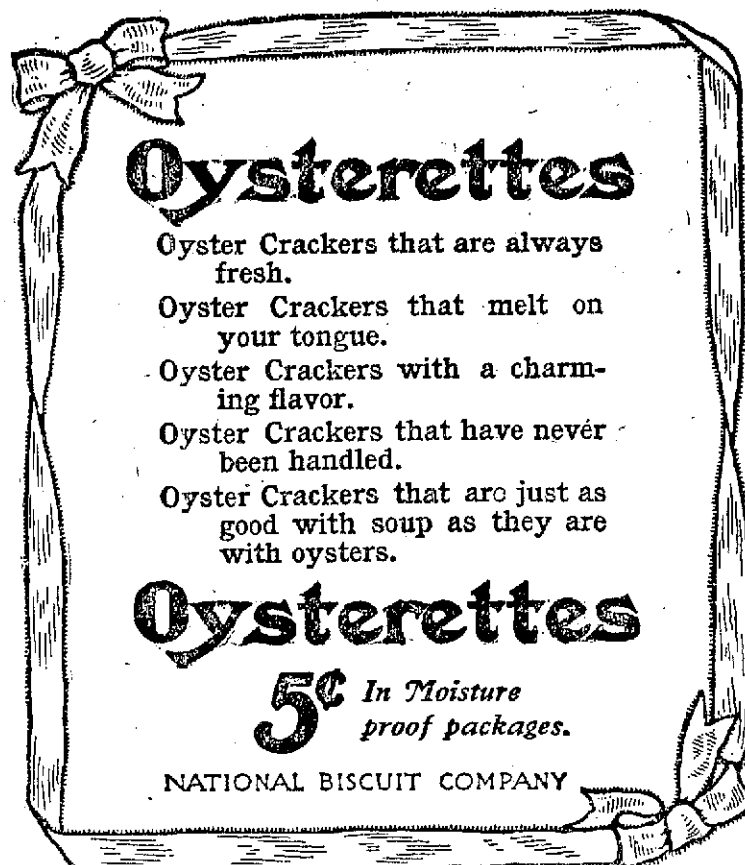
The teacher, Prof. Harry Spence, is the principal of the 5th district school of La Crosse, and is too well known as an instructor to need any words of recommendation.

A traveler putting up at a small hotel out in California brought the porter up to his room with his angry storming.

"Want your room changed, sir? What is the matter?"

"The room's all right," fumed the guest, scorchingly. "It's the fleas I object to, that's all."

"Mrs. Hawkins!" shouted the porter, in an uninterested sort of a voice, "the gent in No. 7 is satisfied with his rooms, but he wants the fleas changed."—Harper's Weekly.



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MUSICAL PROGRAM FOLLOWS

After Business Meeting Members of Presbyterian Society Enjoy Themselves.

Last evening the Christian Endeavor society of the North Presbyterian church held their annual meeting at the home of Miss Pearl Laughlin, 1427 Charles street.

Business of the meeting was transacted, after which officers were elected as follows:

President—Elsie Groesinger.
Vice-president—Pearl Laughlin.
Recording secretary—Ethel Harrington.
Corresponding secretary—Agnes Webster.

Treasurer—Ida Boyer.
Organist—Pearl Laughlin.
The business session was followed by a musical program which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Edward Wheeler, the well known Rose street confectioner, has returned from a business trip to Nebraska.

VIROQUA NEWS

Church programs for Sunday, Oct. 20, 1907:

Congregational church—Morning service 10:30; sermon subject, "The Gospel According to Jesus." Sunday school at 11:45; Y. P. S. C. E., at 6:30 p. m., leader, May Martin. Evening service at 7:30; sermon subject, "Harvesting Memories." Rev. Jesse E. Sables, pastor.

Confirmation services in the United Lutheran church at 10:30 a. m.; Rev. Mr. Gullanderson of Westby officiating.

Regular services in the M. E. church at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.; Rev. Chas. E. Butters, pastor.

Mrs. E. C. Evans and Mrs. G. F. Myre of Westby called on friends and did shopping in the city today.

Mrs. Ed. Lerrick of Cash-ton is the guest of relatives in the city.

Mrs. D. M. Hunter of Viola is the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. George Nuzum in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Nelson of Cash-ton were business callers here yesterday.

YEOMEN DOINGS.

Mrs. J. R. Foster, 911 Adams street, entertained the ladies of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen at a coffee Wednesday afternoon. All spent an enjoyable afternoon.

Mrs. C. S. Mellin, 1020 South Fifth street, will entertain the ladies of the Yeomen next Wednesday afternoon.

The next regular meeting of the B. A. Y. will be Thursday evening, Oct. 24.

The bazaar to be given by the ladies of the B. A. Y. in Woodman hall

November 12, 13 and 14 will perhaps be one of the largest ever held by any La Crosse fraternal society. The arrangements are nearly completed. Donations are received daily and it is expected that they will be in and everything completed by Nov. 1. There will be various kinds of fancy articles on sale at the booths. Refreshments will be served afternoon and evening, and there will also be dancing every evening. One of the interesting features of the bazaar will be a contest among the Yeomen young ladies. The most popular young lady Yeomen will receive a prize. The ballot box is located in Batchelder's shoe store.

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PERSONALS

Extra fine oyster stew—Pfand's. Mrs. Walter A. Lowrie and daughter, Clara, of Aguirre, Porto Rico, have been the guests the past week of their cousin, Mrs. W. B. Batchelder.

Mrs. George Lindsey of Madison, S. D., formerly of the North Side, is here to see her daughter, Mrs. B. F. Keeler, who has been very ill.

Rheumatism is caused by the improper working of the kidneys. The uric acid which should be removed from the blood remains in it. Holister's Rocky Mountain Tea removes the cause and drives it from the system. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your Druggist.

R. F. Jones of Mankato is spending a few days with friends about the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Nelson of Los Angeles, Cal., are guests of relatives in the city.

H. W. Eldred and wife of Rushford returned home last evening after spending the day with La Crosse friends.

Woodmen Dance Wednesday, Oct. 23rd, Woodmen Hall. Music by Kreutz's orchestra. Tickets, 50c per couple.

J. Clark of Caledonia was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Miss Edna Vuller has gone to Milwaukee, where she will visit friends for a few days.

The other girls asked how it came she was so fair to see; She told them they could be the same.

If they'd use Holister's Rocky Mountain Tea—Ask your Druggist.

J. W. Snow has returned from New Albin, where he has been visiting friends for the past week.

Mrs. Frank Kennicott, of Sioux Falls, S. D., is the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Savage.

Mrs. Amund Edmunds and granddaughter, Ida Wingstad of this city are the guests of friends at Blair, Wis.

Dr. George Fowler, consulting physician and surgeon.

Henry J. Hooker has moved his family from 425 West avenue north to 1131 Pine street, yesterday.

W. H. Munkson of Andover is calling on old acquaintances in the city for a few days.

Henry E. Jones of Tampa, Fla., writes: "I can thank God for my present health, due to Foley's Kidney Cure. I tried doctors and all kinds of kidney cures, but nothing done me much good till I took Foley's Kidney Cure. Four bottles cured me, and I have no more pain in my back and shoulders. I am 62 years old, and suffer long, but thanks to Foley's Kidney Cure I am well and can walk and enjoy myself. It is a pleasure to recommend it to those needing a kidney medicine." O. T. Erhart.

W. H. Grant of Harvey Creek is spending a few days in the city visiting relatives.

C. S. Cameron of Waukesha was calling on friends in the city for a short time yesterday.

J. D. Waddell has returned to his home in Niles, Ohio, after visiting relatives in La Crosse.

Foley's Kidney Cure will cure any case of kidney trouble that is not beyond medical aid.

M. Ryan has returned to his home in Caledonia after transacting business in the city.

P. E. Gander of Monmouth is spending a few days with friends in the city.

Mrs. J. M. Storkerson and sister, Mrs. Charles Green of Denver, Colo., have returned from Chicago, where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

Hack calls made night and day, Gateway City Tfr. Line, phone 179.

E. E. Pattern of St. Joseph returned home this morning after visiting friends in the city yesterday.

M. Simpson of Viroqua is spending a few days with friends about the city.

Thomas E. Rusche of Davenport is the guest of friends in the city over Sunday.

BIKE'S JAP ROSE toilet and bath soap is TRANSPARENT, so clear you can read through it. All druggists and grocers sell it.

D. P. McLaughlin of Rockford was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

Miss Maude Grant of Chicago is the guest of friends in the city over Sunday.

T. Maseng has returned to his home in Viroqua after calling on business acquaintances here.

Pianos for sale, tuned and rented. A. Ruber, 5th St. Both phones.

George Moel of Fountain is visiting friends in the city over Sunday.

H. Paulson of Westby is transacting business in the city for a few days.

Secretary Robert Calvert of the La Crosse Manufacturers' and Job-

bers' union, and local customs officer, has gone to Wabasha, where he is inspecting the steamer Van Sant, which has recently been built and may be sold. The boat as yet bears no number and is in the chattel list.

In most cases consumption results from a neglected or improperly treated cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate coughs and prevents serious results. It costs you no more than the unknown preparations and you should insist upon having the genuine in the yellow package. O. T. Erhart.

S. J. Jackson of Billings, Mont., is the guest of relatives in the city this week.

Mrs. N. K. Barrett and children of Albert Lea are the guests of friends in the city.

G. Fred Rupprecht of Batsman was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

Bert Williams of Webster is spending a few days with friends in the city.

Larry Shoven has returned to his home in Viroqua after transacting business here.

H. O. Glasant of Spring Grove is the guest of friends in the city over Sunday.

J. H. Stowe of Albert Lea is in the city visiting friends and old acquaintances.

Dance at Concordia, Saturday, Oct. 19th.

O. O. Friedler of Chaseburg was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

Clarence Caldwell left this morning for Bangor, where he was called on a business mission.

Miss Blanch Holcomb left last evening for a week's visit with friends at Madison and Chicago.

No person that keeps the food canal clean and healthy can have appendicitis. Holister's Rocky Mountain Tea cleans the food canal and protects you from disease. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your Druggist.

Mrs. C. A. Beeman and daughter of Waukon are the guests of friends in the city over Sunday.

Prof. Packman left this morning for West Salem where he will spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Libby of Preston are spending a few days with friends in the city.

M. Williams of Portage was calling on business acquaintances in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Barber of Trempealeau are the guests of friends in the city for a few days.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

No home is so pleasant, regardless of the comforts that money will buy, as when the entire family is in perfect health. A bottle of Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup costs 50 cents. It will cure every member of the family of constipation, sick headache or stomach trouble. O. T. Erhart.

W. P. Peters, building contractor, was in the city yesterday returning from Tomah, where he built eleven residences. He left last evening for Harvard, Ill.

R. G. Gammell has returned to his home in Spring Valley after transacting business in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Colomer of Hartford are the guests of friends in the city over Sunday.

F. Flock of Sparta was in the city yesterday renewing old acquaintances.

C. N. Hall, formerly of this city, returned last night from Montana where he has been for the past summer.

Mrs. A. Kriese of Portage is the guest of friends in the city.

CITY NEWS

CONSIDER BUDGET—The finance committee of the common council consisting of Aldermen Bartl, Keller and Emery will meet in the small council chamber this evening to consider the budget which was submitted at the last meeting of the council.

SELLS NEW BOAT—The new packet built by ex-Governor Van Sant at Wabasha has been sold to the Carnival Packet company and will be used on the lower river. R. Calvert goes to Wabasha today to inspect the new boat and make out necessary papers.

TURNABLE COMPLETED—The new turn table of the La Crosse & Southeastern railway has just been completed in their yards on Green Bay street and now makes it possible for engines to run into the yard and be reversed without trouble.

PIONEER DIES—Paul Huefner, a pioneer resident of Fountain, City, died Thursday at Winona after submitting to an operation. He was well known in La Crosse having visited here many times while in the grain and telephone business.

MOVEMENT OF BOATS—The J. W. Van Sant and bowboat Lydia Van Sant brought a raft down river yesterday morning, returning last evening and taking the second division of the logs down this morning.

MOVE BUILDING—Contractors are busy at the Langdon and Boyd packing house moving the old wooden structure to the north of the yards to make room for their new brick building.

COMES BACK WEST—Thaddeus Brindley, son of County Judge Brindley, has resigned his position on the Brookside farm at Newburg, N. Y., and will return to Hinsdale, Ill., to superintend the Natoma farm. Mr. Brindley will report for his new duties on Nov. 1.

CLAIMS BODY—George Nieland, Verona, Wis., has claimed the body of his brother, Henry Nieland, who suicided a few days ago in a Northwestern passenger coach at Winona.

ELKS DANCE—The second informal dancing party given by the B. P. O. Elks last night was a decided success. More than fifty couples being present. Kreutz's orchestra furnished the music and Mrs. Guess gave two vocal selections during the evening.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nimcocks was held yesterday afternoon from the residence, 320 North Third street. Interment was made at Oak Grove cemetery, with Mrs. Theo. Munstedt in charge.

WON'T MOVE IT—It is understood that Contractor C. W. Noble has decided not to try to remove the large Van Steenwyck building from the corner of Seventh and Main streets on account of the damage it would do to the shade trees. The building was sold to Mr. Noble at a consideration of \$700, which the latter was to pay as a purchase price providing he was allowed to remove it.

French Influence In Millinery



Is the thought that comes uppermost on seeing these hats. They are "Frenchy" without the exaggeration or outlandishness which characterizes some imported models. In a word, these are French Hats "Americanized." See them—They have individuality and style. Rich conceits in fine velvets and imported felts, beautifully trimmed. We are sure the quality, style and superior workmanship cannot be duplicated at the prices we are asking. At \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$8.00, \$10.00 and **\$12.00**

MISS SUNDT.

WOMEN'S LONG COATS

High class garments of character and style that will surprise any woman at the price—It's the climax of value giving. The coats are the long loose or fitted, in the best grade of Thibet. Kersey or Broadcloth in black, brown or blue, at \$7.98, \$10.00, \$13.75, \$15.00 and **\$22.50**

Poehling's

All Cars Start and Stop at this Store

ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to announce to the public that we have purchased — The Ice Cream Parlors and Candy Store, also the Cigar Store and News Stand in the Theatre Bldg.

Patrons may be assured of the same courteous treatment that has made these stores so popular in the past.

We are not making any promises but would ask our customers to watch our growth.

We will try to please you.

D. A. GILES & SONS

Leop L. Giles, Res. Mgr.

PIANOS

Steinway, Hardman, Shoninger, Kurtzman, Crown

If I can't save you money on a first class piano and prove this to your satisfaction I don't want to sell you. Your inspection invited.

CARL B. NOELKE

531 MAIN STREET.

NEW PASSENGER STATION.

On and after October 27 The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will occupy the new Union Station at Washington, D. C., which is said to be the most magnificent passenger station in the world. The fare from Chicago to New York is \$18.00 with stop-over at Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia, not to exceed ten days at each place. For information address R. C. Haase, T. P. A., St. Paul, Minn., or E. N. Austin, G. P. A., Chicago.

H. W. BARKER

What's in a name, but his cough remedy is the medicine that cures At Runckel's Drug Store

Little Ethel—"When the mouse ran up the clock what did the clock do?" Little Willie—"I suppose the clock ran down."



DO YOU EVER DREAM OF DIAMONDS?

Some of the fondest hopes and thoughts that many of us have are those of the time when diamonds will be numerous in our possession. The young maiden looks forward to the all important engagement ring determining in her mind the size and setting she would like. To the young man we would say that if there is an engagement on hand we are experts in giving advice as to the purchase of diamonds. Consult us before becoming engaged.

J. E. GEIOWITZ, Jeweler,
500 Main, Corner Fifth Street.

EUTERPEAN SOCIETY OPENS THE SEASON

PROGRAM HELD LAST NIGHT AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SELECTIONS ENTERTAINING

Various Poets Are Quoted by Their Admirers and Selections Are Given During the Evening

The program at the first meeting of the Euterpean society last evening, the first since the close of the meetings for the vacation, was opened in the auditorium of the First Presbyterian church with quotations as follows:

Rev. J. J. Clemens—"Bobbie" Burns.

C. H. Schweizer—William Shakespeare.

Prof. F. H. Fowler—Bryant.
Mrs. Henry Paville—Lowell.
Mrs. F. H. Fowler—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

Prof. N. S. Donaldson—Oliver Wendell Holmes.
Rev. J. K. Fowler—Milton.
Miss Dorset—Wordsworth.
Rev. Henry Paville—Whittier.
Prof. Otto Wille—Goethe.

A short time before the program was opened, Rev. Henry Paville, president of the organization, announced that Miss Galt would act as master of programs for the coming season.

To Meet at Church.

The executive committee has been instructed to make arrangements to hold meetings of the society in the future in the First Presbyterian church and the meeting in November will be held there, unless announcement to the contrary is made before that time.

Discontinue Class Study.

Prof. F. H. Fowler reported that little interest had been shown in the classes which he had been conducting and therefore advised that they be dropped. The motion was passed and the study classes will therefore be discontinued.

Miss Doerflinger Reads "Etruscan."

After the rendition of the quotations which were admirably selected and very interesting, Miss Viola

TRY OUR French Dry Cleaning FOR Ladies' and Gents' Garments

It gives them that new appearance.

Perfect Work and Prompt Delivery.

Both Phones

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LA CROSSE STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Doerflinger pleased the audience by the rendition of a piano solo entitled "Etruscan," by McDowell. The selection was rendered with remarkable execution and ease. Miss Raudenbush followed with a vocal selection entitled "Spring."

The next number on the program was Mendelssohn's "Spring Song" on the piano by Miss Lois Halek and description by Miss Bertha Lawrence.

Miss May rendered Mendelssohn's well known selection "The First Violin," and was greeted with much applause. Miss Bigham gave the description. The next number on the program was an interesting paper read by Mrs. Worthington on "The History of Landscape Painting," in which she told of the first landscape being used as a background with the latter landscapes as pictures by themselves.

Miss Mildred Gilbertson read a poem describing "McDowell's selection Autumn," which was rendered on the piano by Mrs. Mollie Austin, and was much appreciated.

Miss Rollins Reads Solo.

Miss Martha A. Rollins, the new La Crosse public school vocal teacher then rendered Schubert's "Hark, Hark, the Lark." The solo proved to be very charming and was well received.

The next meeting will be held on the first of November.

FORMER LA CROSSE PEOPLE TO WED

Word has been received here of the announcement of the approaching wedding of Miss Agnes Stiles of this city who is now visiting at Brahm and Cambridge, Minn., in Oct. 23, to Mr. Edward Harrison, formerly of this city. The wedding will take place at Portland, Ore., where Mr. Harrison has been located for some time.

Until a few months ago Mr. Harrison was a member of Company M and has also been employed as a decorator in this city.

Miss Stiles, although a resident of this city but few years, has made a large circle of friends and is esteemed by all who know her.

CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING AT WESTBY

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dahl of Westby celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home in Westby Thursday evening. About 400 guests assembled and helped in the celebration. Speeches were delivered by many of the guests, after which refreshments were served.

Among the La Crosse guests at the celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gilberg and Miss Martha Bryo.

SPARTA MAN COMES IN AUTO

Fred A. Gross, a former resident of La Crosse, now residing at Sparta, Wis., made a trip to La Crosse in an automobile yesterday, with John Brock.

A woman thinks her husband is smart to be able to tell what makes the furnace, though he can't stop it. Postman can tell there's nothing in women's letters by their being so thick.

Do You Lack ENERGY?

Try Grape-Nuts

every morning and evening—eat less meat and see how you begin to "wake up"

"There's a Reason"

IRVINE'S CUT GLASS

Department has made a reputation that speaks for itself. The choicest patterns are found here. Every piece is finished by hand, experienced workmen do the work, and with exquisite care. Only the very finest blanks are used.

6 inch, 8 inch, 10 inch Salad and Fruit Bowls, \$3.00 to \$18.00.
Nappies, \$1.00 to \$5.00.
Cafarres, \$2.50 to \$10.00.
Tumbler Sets of 6, \$1.75 to \$8.00.
Jelly Bowls, 75c to \$2.50.
Celery Trays, \$2.00 to \$7.50.
See these articles and the many others.

To see all that is fine one must surely see our display. We point with pride to the fact that quality counts most here and that everything is good. Reliability has made this store famous. We sell to the consumer at wholesale prices.

W. T. IRVINE.

Cut Glass With Us is a Very Strong Line.

IRVINE'S WEDDING RINGS

Seamless, solderless, jointless, 14k, 18k, 22k. A complete assortment in English hoop and plain Band Rings. All sizes and weights. It matters not how thin you wear one of our Rings it will not break. Our rings are equally strong throughout. There is no seam or join to come apart after years of wear. These Rings may be worn to the thinness of a very fine wire and still be intact. Get the right article for your wedding ring. You buy at jobbers' prices here—\$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$8.00.

W. T. IRVINE, Jeweler.

To please all not only now but in the future, as well, is our policy.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

FOUND

Toy watch and chain, corner Main and Fifth. Owner please call for it at Benschlag's Drug Store, 503 Main street. Agency Gray's Yerba Santa, the Cough Cure of the hour, the Cough Cure that stops a cough quicker than any other known remedy because its built on different principles, with modern remedial agents, known to be the best in quieting and allaying all irritations and inflammatory conditions of the throat, windpipe and lungs, which cause the cough. It is pleasing, warming and aromatic to the taste, and full of business, which you will immediately realize after the first few doses by the disappearance of your cough. It comes in 50c and \$1.00 bottles the \$1.00 size containing two and one half 50c bottles.

CHAS. BENSCHLAG, Druggist, 503 Main.

The Modesty of Women

Naturally makes them shrink from the delicate questions, the obnoxious examinations, and unpleasant local treatments, which some physicians consider essential in the treatment of diseases of women. Not if help can be had, it is better to submit to this ordeal than let the disease grow and spread. The trouble is that so often the woman undergoes all the annoyance and shame for nothing. Thousands of women who have been cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription write in appreciation of the cure which dispensed with the examinations and local treatments. There is no other medicine so safe for delicate women as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures debilitating drains, irregularity and female weakness. It always helps. It almost always cures. It is strictly non-alcoholic, non-secret, all its ingredients being printed on its bottle-wrapper; contains no deleterious or habit-forming drugs, and every native medicinal root entering into its composition has the full endorsement of those most careful in the several schools of medical practice. Some of these numerous and strongest professional endorsements of its ingredients will be found in a pamphlet wrapped around the bottle, also in a booklet mailed free on request, by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. These professional endorsements should have far more weight than any amount of the ordinary lay, or non-professional testimonials.

The most intelligent women now-a-days insist on knowing what they take as medicine instead of opening their mouths like a lot of young birds and gulping down whatever is offered them. "Favorite Prescription" is of known composition. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamp and expense of mailing only. Send to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 21 one-cent stamps for paper-covered, or 3 stamps for cloth-bound. If sick consult the Doctor, free of charge by letter. All such communications are held strictly confidential.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets invigorate and regulate stomach, liver and bowels.

M'GOVERN TELLS ALL ABOUT ACTION

ANSWERS QUESTIONS ONCE REFUSED, ON ORDER OF COURT

STORY DENIES CONSPIRACY

Director of Rendering Company Furnished Information Made Basis of Indictment.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 19.—Another page was turned in the conspiracy suit of Charles F. Pfister against the Free Press and Prosecutor P. E. McGovern, growing out of the indictment of Pfister on a charge of bribery. McGovern has declined to answer questions as to the source of his information, on the ground that proceedings in the grand jury room should not be made public. The question became an issue, and the lower court held McGovern must answer. The supreme court, split squarely on the matter, and the opinion of the lower court therefore prevailed. It was by direction of this court that McGovern yesterday answered the questions. His replies formed a complete denial of the charge that a conspiracy existed, and through a misunderstanding of one of the questions the witness brought out the fact that Mr. Pfister had on two previous occasions figured in alleged bribery deals before the grand jury, no indictments being returned because the evidence as affecting him was merely hearsay. Others were indicted, however. Regarding one of those instances the evidence mentioning Mr. Pfister, as represented in Mr. McGovern's answer, was as follows:

Former Testimony.

"The testimony of Mr. Seidel was, in effect, that Mr. Klefisch and Mr. Fred C. Schultz had come to him and had bribed him in connection with the sale of the old morgue site by the county to the street railway company. That when they paid him the money, \$450, they stated to him that they had had great difficulty in getting it. They had to go to Chicago; that they had gone there with a letter, or with a check given them by Mr. Pfister and had procured the money there, amounting to \$7,000 or \$8,000, from some one to whom they had been directed by Mr. Pfister, and that they had had a great deal of trouble in getting it, and did not succeed in getting all they expected. That was the testimony. Upon that testimony the advice was given that while that was admissible against Klefisch and Schultz as showing conspiracy with them, as to Pfister it was hearsay and incompetent, and there was no testimony before the grand jury, therefore, which would incriminate him in that transaction."

The inquiry also disclosed the fact that Henry J. Killilea, a director of the Rendering company to secure a contract, for which Mr. Pfister was alleged to have acted as a go-between in the handling of a \$25,000 alleged corruption fund, furnished the information, or charge, upon which the grand jury acted in returning its indictment of Mr. Pfister. The evidence here was as follows:

Statement of Henry J. Killilea. Q. Seventh: "Prior to the findings by the grand jury of the indictment, in respect to business relations with the Wisconsin Rendering company, had any person officially interested in the Wisconsin Rendering company made any complaint to your office of any reported delinquency by Mr. Pfister?"

A. Yes, a person officially interested in the company had made such a report to me.

Q. Who was that?

A. Mr. Henry J. Killilea, one of the directors of the company.

Q. What did Killilea state to you?

A. He said in substance, as I recall the conversation, that some time in 1906 or 1907 the rendering company, of which he was then a director, had put up a large sum of money. I think he said \$25,000, in the hands of Mr. Pfister for the purpose of securing a new contract for Steve Hoff, who at that time was receiver of the Rendering company. Now, I am not attempting to quote his language exactly, but I am giving the substance and gist of the conversation as I recall it.

Q. What was that that was criminal or that appeared to be criminal or that suggested criminality in the statement made by Mr. Killilea?

A. The putting up of a large sum of money to secure the granting of a contract by the city of Milwaukee to a public contractor. That would suggest possible bribery to any mind, I think at that time.

STING OF INSECTS KILL 250,000

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—"There are 250,000 deaths annually as the result of mosquito bites," said Dr. Edward A. Ayers, a member of the faculty of the New York Polytechnic, at a meeting in the New York Academy of Medicine. Dr. Ayers furnished astonishing figures in his lecture on "The Mosquito as a Sanitary Problem." He said five diseases are directly traceable to the bite of the insect. They are malaria, yellow fever, beri-beri, dengue and filariasis. The government is eliminating the mosquito danger by draining swamp lands, he said.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Middle aged woman for scrubbing and cleaning. Permanent position to right party. Apply to manager, Cameron House.

JUDGE SAYS MAGILLS WERE NOT GUILTY

DECATUR, Ga., Oct. 19.—In closing the Magill case, in which an acquittal was announced last night, State's Attorney Miller demanded that both the defendants be "put away where the eyes of decent men and women would not have to look upon them."

"Find these defendants guilty," he cried, "in the name of motherhood, virtue and purity. Put sentiment aside. Remember that they thrust a human soul over the brink to face her maker. I demand a verdict of guilty."

There was much of the sensational in the court room. Marguerite, Magill's daughter, cried, but Magill and Fay Graham Magill were stolid.

After receiving the verdict, the judge said:

"I want to say a word about this case now. If it had been an ordinary case I would have instructed you in your duty before this, but I have known from the first that the people of Dewitt county never would be satisfied until the evidence on both sides was thrashed out thoroughly. I especially wanted these letters proven genuine. I have given the case the widest latitude for those reasons. But when the case was all over, I knew beyond a question that no verdict of guilty would be returned."

"I think we will go west for good in a few days," said Magill, after the trial. "I never expected anything but this verdict. I never committed a crime, not even to making my wife unhappy. The truth and the whole truth is in these letters. My wife was a good girl and there was nothing wrong between us before our marriage. Pet Magill loved this girl and told me to marry her. If we had not been married so soon nothing would have been said. But it was Marguerite who wanted that."

APPROACHES TO BRIDGE DOWN

Work has nearly been completed at the approaches to the Pettibone park bridge where the La Crosse Dredging company has been filling in.

The company took the dredge away this morning and is now at work leveling the ground.

Some controversy has arisen in regard to the letting of the contract for the 45 foot span which was put in by the Marsh Bridge company when C. W. Noble of this city had offered to install the bridge for \$600 less.

Crescote Nearly Done. Work is progressing rapidly on Cass street where the crescote block has been installed from Fifth to Tenth, but two blocks remaining.

EAGLES DECIDE ON RECEPTION DATE

At the regular meeting of the Eagles last evening final arrangements were made for the anniversary reception that will be held at the lodge rooms Friday evening, Nov. 15th. The date was not decided on for the minstrel show to be given by the lodge, but it will be some time in November. Six new members were initiated into the organization.

TAKES BATH AT PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

Attorney Charles B. Miller, who has been spending the week at Prairie du Chien, Wis., for rest and to cure an attack of nervousness, is expected to return home tonight. Attorney Miller has been suffering for some weeks with nervousness and an attack of heart trouble, and took the baths at Prairie du Chien in hope of finding relief.

GO HUNTING TODAY.

Messrs. Fred H. Hartwell, Horace Norton, Frank Winters and A. A. Blockman, Jr., went on a hunting expedition this noon up the Mississippi in a launch.

One of them says he will get off enroute and hunt for the "hidden treasure" and another of the "quartets" had a field glass with which he will carefully scan the distance to see that the plot does not overtake the sea-lion and upset the boat.

Order for game are numerous.

CONCERNING HUMBLED SILVER PLATED WARE

May we call attention to the absurdity of the reverent awe you are expected to feel as you ponder the samples of job lot and old style silver plated ware—occasionally advertised as bargains in the narrow precincts of a sacred shrine devoted to general stocks? Quadruple plate? Dear reader, quadruple plate means nothing.

There is no law against using the stamp, and certain manufacturers put it on metal which contains just enough silver to give the article a good finish, and sell to the so-called bargain shops. We handle silver plated ware that is honestly made—we sell it cheaper than most stores, and give you the benefit of our knowledge gained by long years of study.

Our campaign of education has brought us scores of customers. Follow our advertisements and learn the truth.

Parker
JEWELER
310 MAIN ST.
LA CROSSE, WIS.

POSTOFFICE YEGG MAY BE ARRESTED

SECRET SERVICE HAS BEEN COLLECTING EVIDENCE

HOWARD LIKELY THE MAN

Indications Are That Prisoner at the County Jail Sought Short Term to Blame Officers.

When James Howard, alleged yegman and general all-around crook, is released from the county jail on Nov. 11, after serving a forty-five day term for petit larceny, it is probable that he will be arrested on complaint of the United States, by Postal Inspector E. E. Fraser, charged with blowing up the postoffice at Mindoro, Wis., on the night of Sept. 24.

While the prisoner is confined in the county jail, Inspector Fraser has been busy gathering bits of evidence, which tend to show that Howard, whose name is thought to be an alias, either was in the party or committed the deed alone. Several suspicious circumstances attached themselves to the arrest of Howard, four days after the robbery. At that time it was believed he was attempting to shield himself by being arrested for a minor crime, and sentenced to jail for a short term, until the robbery had blown over.

Several articles in the possession of Howard at the time he was arrested aroused the suspicion of the authorities, and investigation was started almost immediately after the man was jailed. This in turn was given over to the federal authorities for the postoffice was blown open in the raid on the general store. Several of the residents of Mindoro are ready to testify that Howard looted around the town a few days previous to the robbery and disappeared immediately after the store was blown open.

Postal Inspector Fraser was absent from the city today, and the result of his investigations could not be learned.

KICKED IN KNEE BY RACE HORSE

John C. Johnson, the well known horse trainer and jockey, met with a painful accident which might have resulted seriously while attending to his trotter last evening. The animal became vicious and kicked him in the knee, causing a painful laceration which bled profusely.

Mr. Johnson gave the wound medical attention and was able to be around in his carriage today, but is hardly able to step on the limb.

Had the horse kicked him below the knee it is said that a fracture would certainly have been the result.

TOUGHS ON TRAIN KNIFE CONDUCTOR

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Oct. 19.—Conductor Ed. Dingman of the Soo line was terribly beaten and cut by two men on his train yesterday. One refused to pay fare, and when he tried to put him off the train, both fought the conductor, one using a knife and cutting a gash in Dingman's face and slashing the dumb.

Passengers went to the rescue of the conductor and the desperadoes were locked in the baggage car and turned over to the authorities at Marquette.

During the fight one emptied a valise out of the window. Local police believe the men were crooks who had been working here. Dingman will recover.

INJURIES FOLLOW STAGE FUSILADE

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 19.—Realism broke out in the Indian fight in the third act of the play at the Lyceum on Wednesday, when a number of the boys of the national guard were wounded by the discharges from Indian guns while defending the stockade from encircling savages.

Some ill-disposed persons, unfriendly to defenders and Indians alike, had put handfuls of salt in the guns of the Indians, and when these guns were discharged in the direction of the stockade the defenders were salted in their faces.

TALKS ON WATERWAY

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—The need of improving navigable inland waterways will be the chief topic to be discussed by Vice President Fairbanks during his tour of Iowa and Texas, which opened at Sioux City, Ia., last night. Mr. Fairbanks said: "At a time when the west is deeply interested in the gulf waterway plan I think we should not lose sight of the many inland streams that should be improved. There is no doubt that by deepening many of these that improvement of commerce will be aided."

"Rates of freight transportation would be lowered in the same proportion as though the Mississippi project were completed, as I hope it will be."

CUTS OFF FINGER

While cutting bread for the noon-day meal, Mrs. George Ash, north Tenth street, accidentally cut off the tip of one of her fingers.

NORTH LUMBER CO. FAILS IN SOUTH

(Continued from Page One.)

tion was raised, relative to the financial standing of the company, although there was a large issue of bonds outstanding.

Now comes the news of the failure, with assets of \$3,000,000, and the liabilities of the company \$1,300,000. The officers of the company hope to make a full settlement and resume business. The shortage of cars in the south is one of the reasons given for the appointment of a receiver.

The American Lumber, one of the leading lumber journals and one of the most reliable, says of the failure:

"Last week announcement was made of the failure of the J. E. North Lumber company, of Bond, Miss., but some of the details were lacking. The North company has been making heavy purchases of timber lands the last few years and in paying for them had to buy its timber and plant for security."

"It is reported that the assets of the company were about \$3,000,000, consisting of 60,000 acres of timber lands, and a well equipped plant. The liabilities were in the neighborhood of \$1,300,000, the largest part of which is in the nature of a bond issue on the timber and plant of the company."

"S. D. Thayer, of the Thayer Export Lumber company, of Gulfport, Miss., who is a brother-in-law of Mr. North, has been appointed receiver, and it is reported that he is the largest creditor."

"The shortage of cars on the Gulf & Ship Island road is given as the cause of the company's trouble, it being unable to deliver its lumber, and therefore it could not make collections. Mr. North said the urgent claims amounted to about \$200,000; efforts being made to raise sufficient collections. Mr. North said the urgent claims of the company so that the receiver may be dismissed."

"Reports from St. Louis, Mo., state that the bondholders were not consulted in regard to the appointment of a receiver. H. M. Noel, of the Noel, Young Bond & Stock company, St. Louis, has been appointed by about two-thirds of the bondholders as chairman of a committee to protect their interests."

GAMBLERS HURRY OUT OF CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—Members of the gambling trust and the city and police officials who have protected them in operation, according to the report of the September grand jury, have had the scare of their lives. Last night began the biggest general exodus of gamblers from the city, it is said, that has taken place for years. Big and little gamblers, afraid of subpoenas to tell what they know to the October grand jury, which will convene next Monday, received imperative orders from Mons Tennes, "Blind John" Condon and "Tom" McGinnis, who have controlled racetrack gambling in Chicago, to flee the city.

CUBA ASKING FOR "FREE INTERCHANGE"

HAVANA, Oct. 19.—The Agrarian League has petitioned Gov. Magoon for "Free Interchange" between the United States and Cuba. The expression is interpreted to mean "Annexation."

The petition expresses dissatisfaction of the commercial and producing classes with present conditions.

GO TO MINNEAPOLIS

Messrs. Felix Muetze, the violin soloist, and Walter W. West, the well known arranger, left a few days ago for Minneapolis, where they will resume playing in the Symphony orchestra with which they have been connected for some time.

Mr. Muetze has just returned from a tour throughout the east with a branch of Sousa's band.

MYSTERY IN KIDNAPING.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Declaring that she would rather die than disgrace her parents, Miss Mae Bradley, who was arrested on the charge of aiding Mrs. Maud Clark to kidnap her son, Carlton, aged 5 years, from Dr. C. Kremer, of Lexington avenue, refused to answer questions in police court yesterday. When pressed for answers she fainted and the case was adjourned until Monday. During an unguarded moment Miss Bradley said that her parents are prominent and wealthy, but she would not disgrace them by dragging them into the case.

RETURN TO CHICAGO.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Alken have returned to Chicago after a visit with Register of Deeds Frank Alken. Miss Ida Alken accompanied them to Chicago for a short visit.

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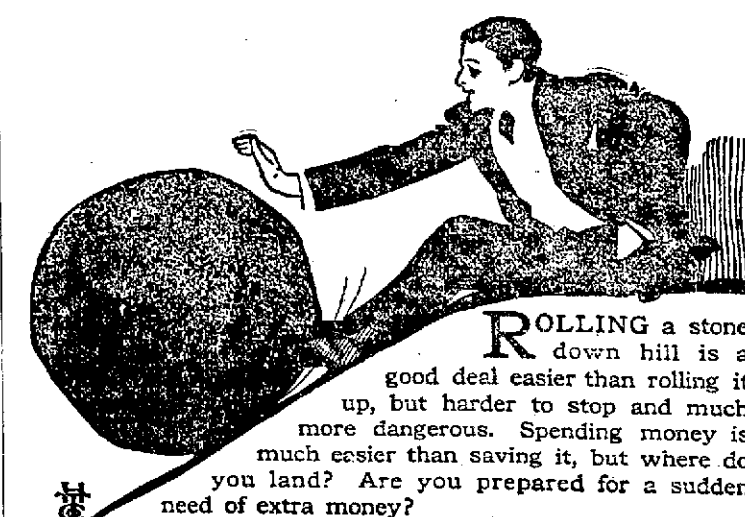
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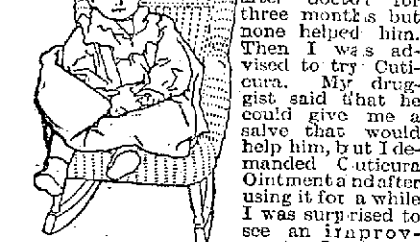
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WISCONSIN NEWS

BIG BANK IS SOLD UNKNOWN TO OWNER

DIRECTORS MAKE DEAL AND STOCKHOLDERS WONDER

INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK

Regime to Have Large Financial Institution; Complete Change in Officers Is Contemplated

RACINE, Wis., Oct. 19.—Stockholders of the Manufacturers' National bank were surprised when they learned that the members of the board of directors had sold in whole or in part their stock in the bank, receiving \$240 a share, and that there was to be an entirely new management of the bank. Persons interested in the Commercial National bank of Chicago, together with Otus W. Johnson and H. M. Wallis of Racine, manipulated the deal, which is one of the largest financial deals ever made here.

The capital stock of the Manufacturers' bank is \$250,000, with a surplus fund of \$200,000 and undivided profits of \$76,000. It is reported that the capital stock will be increased to \$500,000 or \$1,000,000 and thus be able to extend better lines of credit to local manufacturing concerns. The Commercial National bank of Chicago, being interested in the purchase of stock, will no doubt get the business of the Racine bank and its manufacturing patrons. Stock in the local bank has never sold for over \$200 a share, and stockholders who learned of sales at \$240 were unable to find other purchasers at that figure.

A complete change of officers in the bank will be made now and on the first of the year men who have served for a decade, will give way to younger men of the latter banking type.

TWO LED TO WED BY GAME OF CARDS

APPLETON, Wis., Oct. 19.—(Special).—Miss Hallie Ramsay, waitress, was married at high noon today to Rolla Barnum Watson, a wealthy engineer from New York, and thus culminates an interesting romance. Miss Ramsay, daughter of the late "Lord" Bertin Ramsay, was crossing the ocean and one day was asked to fill a hand in a sociable game of cards. Her partner was Mr. Watson. The game of cards became a game of hearts and Mr. Watson won. The Rev. Fabot Rogers of Fond du Lac performed the ceremony today.

CRACK OF MATCH EXACTS ONE LIFE

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., Oct. 19.—Peter Kaiser of Elkhart died of injuries received from being thrown from a wagon. He stood up in the wagon and tried to light a cigar. The noise made by striking the match scared the horses and they started to run. Kaiser was thrown and his skull and one side of his face were badly crushed. He was operated on to relieve the pressure on the brain, but it was of no avail. He was 35 years of age and leaves a wife and daughter.

SEEK TO BREAK WILL

KENOSHIA, Wis., Oct. 19.—The hearing of the contest of the will of James C. Dowse, a wealthy Kenosha county farmer, who died a month ago, has been started in the county court, and many witnesses were heard during the day. W. C. Dowse and Ernest P. Dowse, two sons of the testator, allege that undue influence was used to secure a division of the property in favor of B. C. Dowse. They claim that the father was infirm and almost deaf and blind when the will was made and that his condition was such that he could not tell what he wanted to do with his property.

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ATTEMPT TO FREE WOMAN "RAFFLES"

RELATIVES PREPARING TO SECURE RELEASE

DIVORCE IS NOT PROBABLE

No Bill Is Filed and Friends Expect Reconciliation; Attorney Starts Legal Battle Today.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 19.—An attempt to secure the freedom of Mrs. Charles J. Romadka from prison, at least temporarily, will be made. The woman Raffles is now in the custody of the Chicago police and her case will come up next Tuesday.

In the meantime her attorney and relatives here are mapping out plans by which Mrs. Romadka will not be obliged to remain behind prison walls.

This afternoon John F. Donovan went to Chicago to remain until the case is called in the Harrison street court. Monday Charles J. Romadka, husband of the woman under arrest, will also go to Chicago to be present when the case comes up.

That Mrs. Romadka will be forsaken by her husband is strenuously denied by Attorney Donovan. He said today that Mrs. Romadka will in all probability be released and that efforts would be made to secure bail for her. When she was released last week a bond of \$5,000 was required. Since then other efforts have been laid to her door and it is not improbable that the bond may be increased.

From Chicago comes the report that the bill for a divorce asked by the husband will be withdrawn. In Milwaukee it is not known that Mr. Romadka had applied for a divorce. No record of such a complaint is on file in the courts here, and attorneys close to the Romadka families deny that divorce proceedings have been started.

"It is absolutely untrue," said John F. Donovan. "Mr. Romadka has not begun divorce proceedings and has no intention of that nature. The report originated in Chicago and is without foundation."

MUST ANSWER SUIT TO ANNUAL CHARTER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 19.—Every objection raised by attorneys for the Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company, former Mayor David S. Rose and others to an examination under the discovery statute in the suit instituted by Attorney General F. L. Gilbert, to annul the street car company's charter, was overruled by Judge John C. Ludwig in the circuit court yesterday.

Judge Ludwig handed down a decision in which he exhaustively discussed the vital points of law involved. He held that the eight grounds urged by the attorneys for the defendants for an injunction restraining Court Commissioner Joseph G. Donnelly from holding the examination were without merit in law. Judge Ludwig did not touch upon motions and questions which depend upon the main points in the case.

Appeal to Supreme Court. Judge Ludwig granted a stay of proceedings until Monday morning when Attorney General Gilbert will appear in court to oppose, if he sees fit, an application which George P. Miller, chief counsel for the defendants, will make for a stay pending an appeal to the supreme court.

The present development of the case grew out of an attempt on the part of the defendants to prevent the examination of officers of the Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company, Mr. Rose, several aldermen and ex-aldermen, Charles F. Pfister and others under the discovery statute. The suit was based upon charges that the famous franchise of the street railway company granted by the common council in 1900 was obtained by the corrupt use of money. Mr. Gilbert's affidavit accompanying the subpoena for the examination set out that the examination was desired to obtain information upon which to base a complaint in the suit.

When the examination was called before Court Commissioner Donnelly, several weeks ago, a temporary injunction was served upon him directing a stay of proceedings until the petition of the defendants for a permanent injunction could be heard and decided by Judge Ludwig.

GENIUS IS RELEASED BY FIANCEE'S EFFORTS

MANITOWOC, Wis., Oct. 19.—(Special).—Through the effort of his sweetheart, Anton Kaltenbaum, the eccentric inventor of St. Nazians, has been released from the Northern hospital at Oshkosh.

He is again at work in his machine shop and perfecting several new inventions. He says he was treated well at Oshkosh and he is physically in better condition now than ever before.

LAYS DOUBLE EGG

MANKATO, Minn., Oct. 19.—W. W. Weller, a farmer of Rapidan township, reports finding a curiosity in his hen coop. It is an egg as large as a goose egg and inside of it another egg that is perfectly developed, about the size of ordinary hens' eggs.

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ARGUE FOUR LOCAL CASES AT MADISON

Four cases from the sixth judicial district of Wisconsin, of which La Crosse is the center, were argued before the state supreme court yesterday. The decisions will be handed down later.

Following are the actions:
72. Boehr, respondent, vs. Juergens, Anderson Co., appellant; argued for the appellant by J. E. Higbee and for the respondents by C. W. Graves and R. B. Graves.

80. In re Central Drainage district, Cash, et al., appellants, vs. Kruttschke et al., respondents; argued for the appellants by C. A. Veeder and John M. Olin, and for the respondents by Daniel H. Grady and W. R. McCaul.

81. State Bank of La Crosse, respondent, vs. Bleifang, appellant; argued for the appellant by George W. Bunge and C. W. Graves, and by C. L. Hood for the respondent.

82. Schen, administrator, appellant, vs. Chicago & North-Western Railroad company, respondent; argued by R. B. Graves for the appellant, and submitted on brief for the respondents.

STATE IN BRIEF

JANESVILLE.—The Rock County Sugar company has begun operations

with 360 hands employed. It is estimated that over 5,000 tons of beets will be ground this season.

GRAND RAPIDS.—The barbers of this city have united to advance the charge for shaves from 10 to 15 cents. The new schedule of prices will go into effect on Oct. 21, 1907.

EAU CLAIRE.—The Charles F. Grindelle company of Chicago has been given the contract to build the new government building in this city at a net cost of \$113,550. The company agrees to have the building completed about April 1, 1909.

EAU CLAIRE.—The new school laws passed at the last session of the legislature are beginning to have a wholesome effect on the country schools of Eau Claire county. Already numerous new heating systems have been installed and thousands of dollars of improvements made around timeworn and dust begrimed buildings.

JANESVILLE.—New mail service has been established between Madison and Chicago on trains 142 and 127 of the Milwaukee road. New steel cars were put in commission.

GRAND RAPIDS.—William Remington, a farmer of the town of Remington, this county, reports the loss of a number of sheep killed by wolves. Reports of this nature are coming in with unusual frequency.

MADISON.—Prof. Charles F. Burgess of the department of applied

electric chemistry at the University of Wisconsin, has just been chosen as the expert in gas electricity for the state railroad rate commission.

VIOLA, Wis.—Somebody is taking the Viola high school for a bar-room. When the principal entered the room one morning this week, the floor of the assembly room was found littered with empty beer bottles, cigar stubs, cigaret "butts," and filth. There is no clue.

OSCEOLA, Wis.—A "blacksmith's trust" is the latest combine proposed in Polk county. The leaders intend to organize all the men with shovels and raise prices for all classes of work. This is believed to be the first time in Wisconsin that a union has been projected for blacksmiths.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—The Franklin club, an organization of master printers of Wisconsin, will give its annual banquet here tonight. Editors all over the state have been invited to attend.

RACINE, Wis.—Not to be outdone, the Racine college upper classmen will again publish a monthly magazine this year, to have the time-honored title of "The Mercury." A brass band is also being organized. Last year's band consisted of over fifty members. Prof. George W. Burke is director.

APPLETON, Wis.—Following their game with Hamline at St. Paul to-

day, the Lawrence football team leaves for Fargo, N. D., where they will meet the Fargo Agricultural college Monday. Both games are rated as "hard ones," and the trip is a strenuous one.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis.—Two people giving their names as Mr. and Mrs. Mary Goldman are alleged to have swindled residents of this city out of about \$2,000. They are said to have posed as owners of the Vienna Art institute, and enlarged pictures at a low price to introduce them.

RIPON, Wis.—The annual luncheon of the Ripon College Alumni association will be given on Oct. 23 at the Plankinton hotel, Milwaukee.

BELOIT, Wis.—W. F. Barnes of Rockford was fined \$15 and costs for exceeding the auto speed limit in this city. Prosecution of auto speeders is frequent.

HAYTON, Wis.—Farmers in this vicinity have united in supporting a movement for the installation of a rural telephone line. The Eastern Wisconsin company is back of the enterprise, which is destined to cover Calumet county with a network of wires.

ASHLAND, Wis.—Big Buchanan, game warden for northern Wisconsin, is dead of heart failure. He was the best known hunter and fisherman in the Lake Superior country, and an artist and professional musician.

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MAN GONE FIFTEEN DAYS

Disappeared in St. Paul on Sept. 30 and Has Not Been Seen Since—Police Asked to Assist

FAIRMONT, Minn., Oct. 19.—The mysterious disappearance of William W. Ward, mayor of the city of Fairmont, has just been made public through the local papers.

Mayor Ward was last seen and heard from on Sept. 30 in St. Paul, where during the month of September he had temporary charge of the plumbing store of Ward & McQuigan, plumbers, the firm being composed of William W. Ward and George P. McQuigan. They also have a store in this city. On the last of September he packed his grip at the Foley hotel in St. Paul and said he was going to Fairmont. His absence excited considerable comment in official and business circles, but it was thought he would return at any time. His wife and family have heard absolutely nothing from him.

Asks Help of Police.
Mrs. Ward determined to wait no longer, and through her attorneys, Mathwig & Sasse of this city sent out to the sheriff and police printed circulars which read as follows:

"DISAPPEARED.
"W. W. Ward, mayor of the city of Fairmont, Minn., about 44 years old, gray eyes, gray hair, face smooth shaven, florid complexion, height about five feet eight inches and weight about 215 pounds. Was last seen at St. Paul on Sept. 30; stated that he was leaving for Fairmont, and that official business required his presence in that city.

"Mr. Ward has lived in Fairmont about fifteen years. He was elected mayor of Fairmont twice in succession, the last time in April, 1907. He was somewhat involved financially, but not enough to warrant his leaving for parts unknown, or even to cause him much concern, as most of his creditors are secured. His unpaid bills, but few, and the amount not large.

"His wife, family and friends are very much concerned about him, and would like to know what became of him. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity, also of the Elks and the Knights of Pythias.

Friends Are Puzzled.
"Address all communications relating to where he may be found or any information regarding him to Mathwig & Sasse, Fairmont, Minn." No reason can be given for his disappearance. Although he was somewhat financially involved, it would not warrant his absconding. Some think that his business troubles worried him to such an extent that he has committed suicide. The general opinion is that he has met with an accident or foul play.

VIOLATED LAW THAT HE MAY TAKE BRIDE

WATERLOO, Ia., Oct. 19.—Unable to get a marriage license in Blackhawk county because the groom-elect had been divorced a few months before, Caldoe B. Jones of Waterloo and Miss Grace R. Maxon of Cedar Falls went to Omaha, where they were married Wednesday.

This action makes Mr. Jones liable to arrest for misdemeanor, for the Iowa statutes were amended at the last assembly making it an offense for divorcees to marry within a year from the granting of the decree. The couple now are touring the west and will return to Waterloo, where the groom is employed as a street car conductor.

All preparations were made for the event at the home of the bride's mother Tuesday night, but after the guests had assembled and the minister was present it was announced that a postponement must be taken because of the refusal of the authorities at Waterloo to grant a license. Jones was divorced June 24, 1907, his wife having deserted him.

W. C. T. U. ENGAGES IN STATUTE MAKING

IOWA FALLS, Ia., Oct. 19.—The W. C. T. U. of this city has taken up the cause of curfew and after circulating petitions has asked the city council to regulate youngsters after nightfall. The council is asked to adopt a curfew ordinance that will prevent young people under the age of sixteen years from being on the streets without a chaperon after 8 or 9 o'clock, according to the time of the year. The council has referred the matter to City Attorney John Lamprecht for an opinion and the legality of an ordinance of this nature, and the matter probably will come up for disposition at the November meeting.

MURDER TRIAL BEGUN

DES MOINES, Ia., Oct. 19.—Herbert Dickinson has been placed on trial on the charge of murdering Irene Blydenburg of Eldora. Dickinson who is a married man, was a lover of the girl, and is charged with being concerned in her death following an operation. Dr. Gadd of this city also is indicted for the murder.

QUO WARRANTO END FIRST MURDER TRIAL

LEGALITY OF NEW COUNTRY IS QUESTIONED

INDIAN CASE IS POSTPONED

Court Must Show That It Has Legal Existence; County Officers Also Must Prove Their Rights

MAHONOMET, Minn., Oct. 19.—The trial of Wah-wee-you-cumming for murder came to a sudden close when Judge Grindeland of his own motion ordered a continuance of the case until next March. This action is taken on account of the quo warranto proceedings to declare the organization of Mahonomet county illegal. It is expected that the supreme court will settle that question by that time.

The first term of the district court ever held in Mahonomet county convened Tuesday, with Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren presiding. Court was held in the Congregational church.

The principal case for trial was the State of Minnesota vs. Wah-wee-you-cumming, accused of murder in the second degree. On Aug. 16 last the defendant, while drunk, is charged with having hit one Paym-way-gwo-ah with a spade. On Aug. 18 Paym-way-gwo-ah died as a result of the wound. What is believed to be the opening shot of the greatest Indian murder trial of recent years occurred Tuesday morning when the sheriff served upon the county commissioners a writ of quo warranto to show cause before the supreme court of this state on Dec. 2 why they hold their office.

It is continued that on Jan. 2 last, when Gov. Johnson declared Mahonomet county, an entity, there were less than 2,000 inhabitants in the county, and that the petition submitting to a vote the proposition of setting Mahonomet county off of Norman county did not contain signatures of a sufficient number of residents of the district to cause it to be set off.

NORTHWEST BRIEFS

PAYNESVILLE, Minn.—A Paynesville camp of the Sons of Veterans

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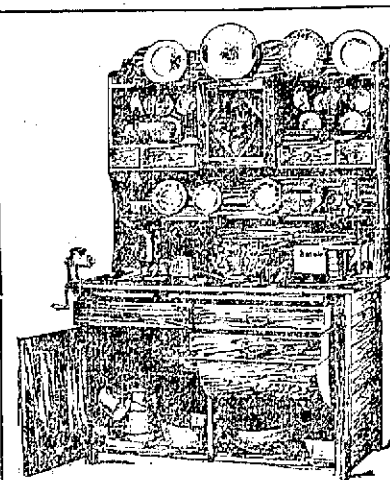
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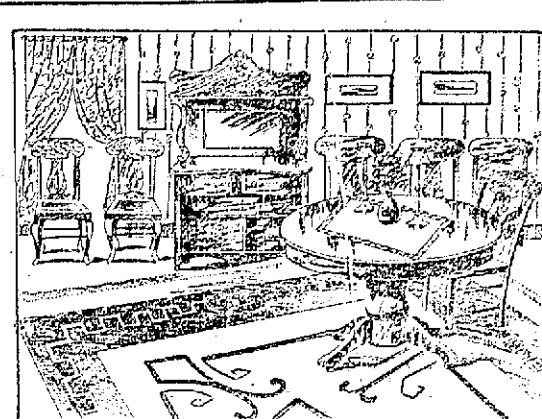
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will be organized at a meeting next Wednesday evening, when John Harrison, division commander of the state, or his deputy, will be present for the purpose of installing officers and taking the steps necessary for the organization of the camp.

LIVERNE, Minn.—Sheriff Black and his deputies are searching for P. J. Mooney, said to have passed four forged checks on business firms in this city during the carnival. All of the checks were for \$12.50 and the name of David Jones, a farmer residing near town, was signed to them.

REDWOOD FALLS, Minn.—John Glum of Sheridan township, near this city, was drawn into a Parnous self-feeder threshing foot foremost half the length of his body and was terribly lacerated. The accident was the result of young Glum's trying to push some hay which was not feeding well towards the knives of the feeder, using his right foot.

NORTHOME, Minn.—The woods adjacent to Northome will be the scene of considerable logging activity during the coming winter. Contractors already have begun preliminary work on their lumber camps and expect to have everything in readiness to begin operations before the snow flies. There will be at least eight or ten large camps in operation in this immediate vicinity this winter.

BLUE EARTH, Minn.—The Fairbault county commissioners have decided to place a steel dam at the out-

let of Walnut lake, the source of the last branch of the Blue Earth river. The lake has been so shallow of late that the fish would freeze during the winter months. The damming of the lake will be of great benefit to sportsmen and those seeking a pleasant summer resort.

WATERLOO, Ia.—John Klinehart, who lives north of Ashua, was impaled on a pitchfork yesterday afternoon, one of the times penetrating his intestines. Mr. Klinehart was walking along the road near his home carrying the fork with the tines toward his body. The handle met an obstacle and his body was penetrated.

MANKATO, Minn.—Samuel Mace, a prominent Decoria farmer, is suffering from a broken leg, dislocated knee and other injuries, due to an accident while plowing. The horses overturned his plow and dragged it over him. He stopped them and un hitched them and climbed upon the back of one and rode home, but it was several hours before surgical assistance could be secured.

GRAND FORKS, N. D.—While hunting a few miles west of Rugby, Bert Sand, aged thirteen years, accidentally discharged his shotgun. The charge entered his leg, making a terrible wound. It was necessary to amputate the leg just below the knee.

PAYNESVILLE, Minn.—The six-year-old son of Joseph Leimons of this city is dead at his father's home in the northern part of the town.

the cause of the death being typhoid fever.

MANKATO, Minn.—Supreme Regent Van Sien and other supreme and grand officers of the Royal Arcanum visited the local council last night and witnessed the initiation of a class of twenty-two. A social time followed, with a banquet and speeches. The supreme officers went to Minneapolis today and from there will go to Duluth.

BARNESVILLE, Minn.—No. 465 local freight on the Great Northern between here and St. Paul jumped the track on this side of Osakis. No one was hurt. Some cars were badly smashed. All west-bound cars were from two to three hours late.

ALBERT LEA, Minn.—The directors of the Freeborn County Agricultural society met and went over the accounts of the last fair. It was found that before compensating the officers there was a nice surplus, but not enough to make a payment on the permanent improvements made.

WASECA, Minn.—The fall term of district court for Waseca county convened here with Judge Buchanan presiding. The grand jury returned an indictment against Rudolph Munson, charging murder in the second degree for the shooting of Mrs. Clifford Julian on the night of Sept. 14 in the Commercial house of this city.

WASECA, Minn.—During the three months ending Oct. 1, 1907 women and 422 children were entertained at the rest room in this city.

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The Anniversary Bargains in Cloaks

Have surprised the Women of the city. We continue these Special Prices one more week.

Women Coats—Made of Kersey, 3/4 length, collarless, finished with braid, back and front trimmed with velvet and braid, a \$12.50 value. Anniversary Sale **\$9.00**

The Yo San Coat—Made of stylish plaid, winter woollens has the new Jap sleeve, collar and cuffs, trimmed with plain broadcloth to match, finished with braid, a \$15.00 value. Anniversary Sale **\$12.50**

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No Vent Petticoats—Made to fit perfectly, knit top, flounce of black moire, shirred ruffles, at

Moire and Spun Glass Petticoats—Wide range of styles, flounces have shirring, stitched bands and ruffles

Prices at \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00

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Silkoline—Yard wide, choice designs, at yard	12c
Bed Spreads—11-4 size, assorted patterns, special at	\$1.18

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Outing Flannel Gowns for men, women, misses and children, made of a nice quality outing, at the special of	50c
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CHURCHES

English Lutheran.
The English Lutheran Church of the Holy Trinity, West avenue and Ferry street. The Rev. J. J. Clements, pastor. The Luther League topic for the twenty-first Sunday after Trinity: "The Common Service." Subject for sermon in the morning, "Prevailing Prayer." In the evening, "The Open Door." Chief service with communion and Holy communion at 10:30 a. m.; Vesper service at 7:15 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Luther League at 7 p. m. The Women's home and Foreign Missionary society of the English Lutheran church will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Kindley.

Christ Episcopal.
Christ Episcopal church, Ninth and

Main streets, Rev. C. N. Moller, pastor.—Holy communion at 8 o'clock; morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 3:00 p. m. and evening service at 7:30 p. m.

Immanuel Evangelical Association.
Immanuel church of the Evangelical association, Twelfth and Vine streets, H. Etzelmueller, pastor.—Sunday school at 9:15; morning service at 10:30; Junior League at 2:15 p. m.; Young People's meeting at 5:45 p. m.; evening service at 7:30. Monday evening at 7:45.

First Congregational.
First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets, Henry Faville, pastor.—Worship 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Morning theme, "The Cure for Quitters." In the evening the pastor will give fifth sermon upon the churches of La Crosse. Topic, "Things I Like About the Jewish church. Sunday school at noon. Young People's meeting at 6:20 p. m., with special program.

Y. M. C. A.
Y. M. C. A., 425 King street. Oliver J. Ash, acting secretary.—Men's meeting at 4 o'clock p. m. Rev. J. J. Clements, pastor of the English Lutheran church of the Holy Trinity, will address the meeting.

German Methodist.
German Methodist church, corner Seventh and Ferry, Y. L. Panzlau, pastor. Sunday school 9:15 in the morning, sermon, 10:30. Theme: "Little Sins."

Junior League in the afternoon; Epworth League 6:45 in the evening; Fred Miller will be the leader. Sermon 7:30; theme, "The Demoniac Healed." Wednesday evening the regular prayer meeting will be held. The young men's "Forward Movement club" will give an entertainment at the church parlors Thursday evening.

Trinity Lutheran.
Trinity Lutheran church, on Avon street.—Rev. F. T. Hoversstad, pastor. Services with communion Sunday morning at 11:30; English services in the evening at 7:30; Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Christian Scientist.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth.—Services at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday meeting at 7:45 p. m. Reading room open daily, except Sundays, from 2 to 5 p. m. in the church.

Norwegian Lutheran.
Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Charles and Sixth streets, Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor.—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9 a. m.

First Baptist.
First Baptist church, Sixth street, between Main and King streets, Rev. J. Wellington Hoag, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 12 m.; Colton branch Sunday meeting at 2:00. Young People's service at 6:30. Evening praise and preaching service at 7:30. After an absence of six weeks, Rev. Hoag will have charge of the services both morning and evening. Morning theme, "Lessons from the Five Thousand." Evening theme, "Applying the Mind to Religion."

Westminster Presbyterian.
Westminster Presbyterian church, Redfield street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, Rev. D. H. Rohrbach, pastor.—Services at 10:30 in the morning and 7:30 in the evening; Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation to all.

St. Paul's Universalist.
St. Paul's Universalist church, Eighth and Cass streets, Rev. J. S. Lowe, pastor.—Regular preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at noon; Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Subject of the morning sermon, "Endless Time." In the evening the second of three sermons on peace, the subject being "International Peace."

First Presbyterian church, King and Sixth streets, Rev. J. K. Fowler, pastor. Morning sermon is on "Taking the City." At night the subject is "Paris Good and Bad, Light and Shade." Solos by Miss Hosley and Miss Inez Mumford. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 11:45; Grace Chapel school at 2:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.

First Methodist.
First Methodist Episcopal church, Eighth and King streets, James W. Irish, pastor.—Class meeting at 9:30 a. m.; morning worship at 10:30. Sermon subject, "The Oldest Drama in the World." Sunday school at noon; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.; Miss Helen Vance leader. Evening worship at 7:30. Evening program: "Unfair Reports of a Cocktail Incident." Sermon subject, "The Best Secret Society."

Bethel Norwegian Lutheran.
Bethel Norwegian Lutheran church.—Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Ladies' Aid Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. in the church parlors. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:45 p. m. O. L. Christensen, pastor.

Scandinavian Baptist.
Scandinavian Baptist church, corner Charles and Logan streets, Rev. H. M. Anderson, pastor.—Sunday services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 m.

St. Paul's Norwegian Lutheran.
St. Paul's Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of West avenue and Division, Rev. R. Anderson, pastor.—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 m.; prayer meeting Tuesday evening and preaching Thursday evening.

Norwegian Lutheran.
Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Division streets, Rev. H. G. Magellson, pastor.—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

First German Baptist.
First German Baptist, Seventh and Winnebago, Rev. Benjamin Graf, pastor.—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:30; prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

German Evangelical Lutheran.
German Evangelical Lutheran church, corner of Avon and St. Paul streets, Rev. C. M. Thurov, pastor.—Sunday services at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m., the last Sunday each month. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

German Lutheran.
German Lutheran church, corner of West and Cameron avenues, Rev. J. T. Gamm, pastor.—Services 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Tabernacle Baptist.
Services at Tabernacle Baptist church, Clinton and Avon streets, Leslie Lee Sanders, pastor.—10:30 a. m., regular service at church; 7:15 p. m.

Caledonia Street M. E.
Caledonia street M. E. church, between Wall and Windsor streets, Rev. A. L. Wood, pastor.—Class meeting, 9:30 a. m. E. G. Farmer, leader. Sunday school Rally day at 12 o'clock, noon, W. E. Hansen, superintendent. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Subject, "Hearing and Doing." Leader, Archie McKenzie. Morning worship with sermon by pastor on Sunday school work at 10:30; evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by the Rev. W. D. Thomas, D. D. All are cordially invited to these services. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

West La Crosse M. E.
West La Crosse M. E. church, Rev. A. L. Wood, pastor.—Services Sunday at 3 p. m.; Sunday school at 2 p. m.

St. Peter's Episcopal.
St. Peter's Episcopal church, corner of Avon and Logan streets, Rev. C. N. Moller of Christ church will preach at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

North Presbyterian.
North Presbyterian church, Avon and Logan streets.—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., conducted by the pastor; Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.; C. E. meeting 7:45 p. m.

Loose Talk in High Places.
(Chicago Tribune.)
A few days ago a minister of the gospel emphasized his indignation at the prevalence of heresy by declaring that it would be beneficial to mankind to return to the good old times and send all heretics to the scaffold or the stake. He would kindly the fires of Smithfield and send up the sweet savor of a burnt offering that would be pleasing to an offended Deity. Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews has supplemented this zealous outburst of humility and peace by saying that hanging should be the punishment of every proved libeler, and that when a muckraker has so transgressed the proprieties as to assault the harmless rich the rope should be resorted to as a means of justice.

Coming at a time when capital punishment, even for human offenses of the most heinous variety, is looked upon with disfavor by many people, these cheery expressions of the duty of civilization and progress are likely to cause astonishment. Emanating from a minister of the gospel and a noted educator, the head of a state university, they may attract attention that would not be given to less prominent citizens. It is not presumed that a clergyman or a teacher of the young would make a jest of human life and speak of the torch and the gallows as if they were little measures of gentle correction necessary for minor offenses.

Of course Dr. Anderson is not a man to speak from an idle impulse, and doubtless he and his clerical brother are moved by the earnest reformatory spirit.

At the same time the suggestion will be eventually dismissed as the product of that looseness of talk which so impairs the efficiency of men who otherwise might be a power for good. When clergymen and educators, high in the councils of presumably distinguished thought, ramble on about the necessity of hanging libelers and burning unbelievers, it is not to be wondered at that men less intellectually equipped regard lightly the operations of Lynch law and hastily considered justice.

On the other hand, thinking and intelligent men turn with disgust from these reckless and violent recommendations even while they laugh at their supreme foolishness. The civilized world of the twentieth century has no intention of going back to the methods of the seventeenth and eighteenth, and has little patience with the chatterer whose tongue runs away with ordinary discretion.

The muckraker and the heretic will doubtless receive their desserts in due time, but there will be no Tyburn for the one or Smithfield for the other. As for the distinguished

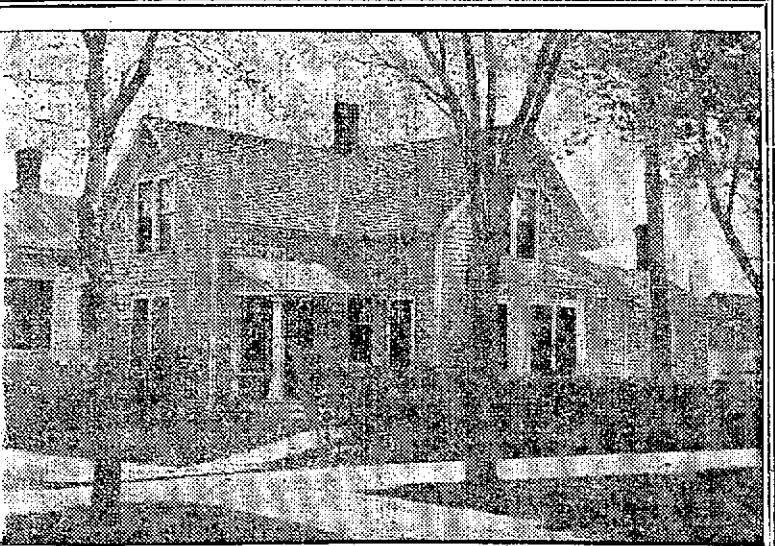
citizens who yearn for the shedding of human blood and see no remedy for human transgression save in torture and death, they may be left to the mercy of those who endure their vaporing.

From the Ladies' Salon.
Jacob Hope, the head of Philadelphia's famous phonograph school for parrots, said the other day: "There are worse things than a swearing parrot, and one was brought over on a German boat last month. His owner, a sailor, swore that this traveled bird knew no profanity, and a lady bought him."

"But she had to bring him to me. The parrot, though he didn't swear, had evidently spent most of his time on shipboard in the ladies' salon, for what he would do was this:

"For hours at a time he would choke and gasp and hicough as if he'd never stop, and then he'd sing out feebly, 'Steward—bucket!'" — Washington Star.

A Criminal Attack
on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels. 25c at O. T. Erhart's drug store.



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Commencing Monday, Oct. 21st and Continuing ALL WEEK

Afternoons at 2:00 and 3:30;

Evenings at 7 and 8:30

The Drama

**SARAH TRUAX WILL
BE HIT OF SEASON**

ENGAGEMENT AT THEATRE TO-
NIGHT AN IMPORTANT ONE

FOUR BIG PLAYS COMING

"Monte Carlo Girls" and "Under
Southern Skies" Are Also Com-
ing Attractions in La Crosse

Sarah Truax, in the delightfully
engrossing and highly humorous
three-act drama from the pen of that
gifted author, Hutchins, is at the La
Crosse theatre today.

This promises to be one of the
most notable offerings of the local
theatrical season. Miss Truax is a
distinguished artist. Her work in
the past few seasons in such produc-
tions as "The Eternal City," "Man
and Superman" and "The Prince of
India" has been indelibly impressed
on the minds of her many admir-
ers. In "The Spider's Web" Miss
Truax is said to have been given a
role that perfectly fits her
wonderful histrionic ability. The
supporting company is composed of
artists of brilliancy, many of whom
are well-known to local showshop-
pers. Miss Truax is under the man-
agement of John Cort, whose thor-
oughness as a producer entitles all
to participations of something far be-
yond the ordinary in stage-mounting
and costuming.

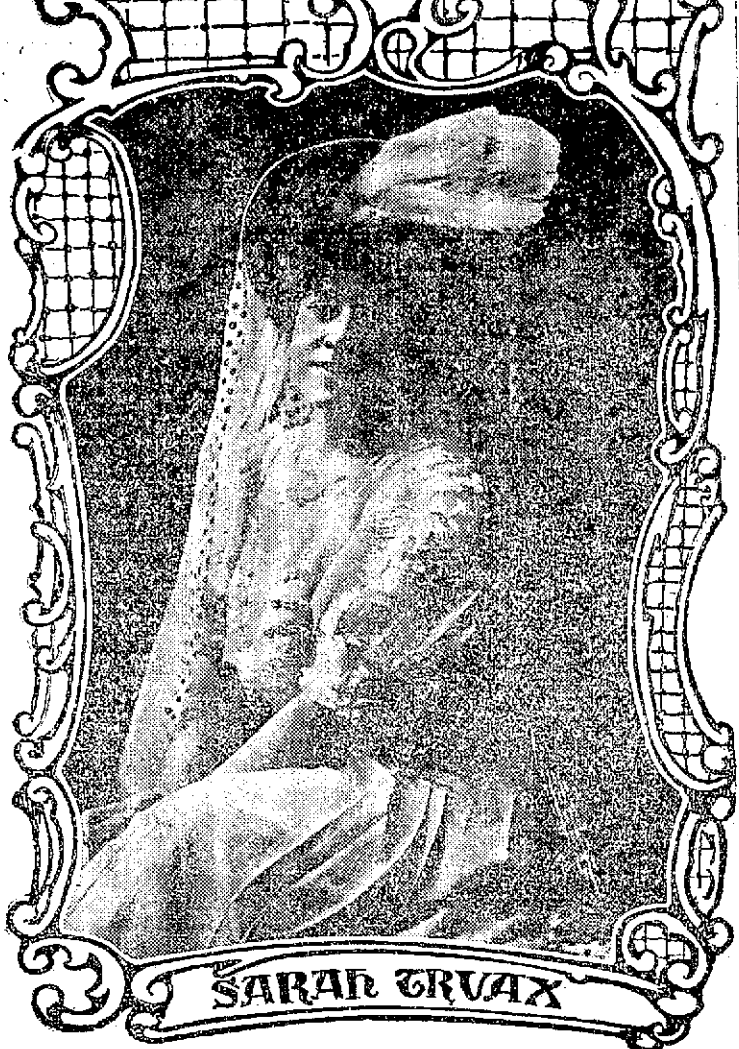
"Under Southern Skies,"
One of the unusual features of
Lottie Blair Parker's play of south-
ern life is that the women of the
cast outnumber the men. As a rule
the reverse is the case in dramatic
offerings. The presence of so many
women upon the scene is one of the
attractions of the play, especially as
many of them are young and prett-
y. The birthday party of the youthful
heroine, and the Halloween festivi-
ties, which include the carrying out
of some amusing Halloween tricks
and a Jack-o-lantern dance, give
fine scope for showing the feminine
members of the company to advan-
tage. One of the funniest characters
in the play is "Anner Lizer," who
deserves to rank side by side with
the immortal "Topsy." Anner Des-
ler, too, is a host of fun in herself,
a typical southern "auntie"—one of
the faithful slaves who clung to the
family she loved, though free to
leave them if she wished to do so.
The south furnished many instances
of this devotion upon the part of the
older negroes. The part of the hero-
ine, Lottie Crofton, a young southern
belle, is a difficult one to enact,
portraying as it does, all the emotions
from gay and loving light hearted-
ness, to most intense misery and
grief. "Under Southern Skies" was
written by a woman and it gives
women greater opportunities for act-
ing than three or four ordinary
dramas. This very successful play
will be seen at the La Crosse theatre
on Tuesday, Oct. 22.

"WOODLAND," BIG MUSICAL HIT

"Woodland," that delightful
novel musical play of the forest which
seized tremendously on popular fa-
vor two seasons ago because of its
originality, picturesqueness and its
charming melodies, has been revived
this season by Mr. Henry W. Sav-
age, who is again placing it before
the public as a result of a widely ex-
pressed demand. The public thor-
oughly enjoyed "Woodland"—it
wishes to enjoy it again.

"Woodland" is wholly different
from anything in the comic opera
line hitherto seen on the American
stage. It breathes the very spirit of
the woods and in pictorial effect and
musical expression is unique and
pleasing.

A joke is not always a joke when
it is on you.



Great Artist, Supported by an Excel-
lent Company in "The Spider's Web,"
La Crosse Theatre, Today.

HIS LAST DOLLAR SUNDAY OFFERING

GREAT RACING PLAY WILL AP-
PEAL TO PATRONS

MR. HIGGINS IS A STAR

Play Is One of Strongest of Its Type
and Is Very Ably Presented
by the Company

"His Last Dollar," elaborated and
excited under the progressive man-
agement of E. D. Stair and Geo. H.
Nicolai, now in its fifth season of
uninterrupted success, will come to
the La Crosse theatre tomorrow for
afternoon and evening with David
Higgins in the stellar role, support-
ed by Mary Sewess and a strong
company, including: Thos. Rey-
nolds, Frank Denithorn, Wm. Bel-
fort Page Spencer, C. P. Eggleston,
Allan Bailey, Emma Salvatore, Alma
MacLaren, Bliss Milford and Molly
Malcomb. Augmented by its splen-
did scenic equipment the play is one
in which the authors, David Higgins
and Dr. Baldwin G. Cooke, have by
their united efforts, contributed to
the stage a dramatic creation which
has met with unbounded approval
and is destined to live long in the
hearts of play-goers.

The story of the play is one of in-
tense heart interest, intermingled
with bright touches of comedy, re-
counting the adventures of a young
Kentuckian, Joe Braxton, played by
Mr. Higgins, who began life as a
jockey in the blue grass region, his
successes in the far west as a cowboy
and ranch owner, his trip to New
York, where he is led into specula-
tion by a false but trusted friend,
who, aided by a designing woman,
conspires to rob Joe of his wealth.
His fortune is finally saved, how-
ever, by the winning of the Futurity

Race at Sheephead Bay by Mongrel,
a 50 to 1 shot, upon whom Braxton
is obliged to take the mount at the
last moment at the entreaty of Elea-
nor Downs, the daughter of his old
employer, her jockey being disabled
just as the horses start for the post.
Thoroughbred race horses are car-



Mr. David Higgins, Star in the
Great Racing Play, "His Last Dol-
lar," La Crosse Theatre, Tomorrow.

ried for this particular scene, which
has been claimed by press and pub-
lic as one of the cleverest bits of
stage realism introduced in recent
years. The scenic settings are beau-
tiful and realistic, and the story not
only tells a dainty and sweet ro-
mance but overflows with sparkling
comedy and dramatic situations.

Gustav Luders, the composer, never
wrote more tunefully than in his
"Woodland" score, while Frank Pix-
ley hit a most happy idea in taking
birds of the forest as the characters
for a dainty comedy of love and
war.

Read the Tribune's Want Ads.

BURLESQUE IS TO BREAK MONOTONY

MONTE CARLO GIRLS WILL
DASH UPON SCENE

AT THE THEATRE MONDAY

Twenty-five People in Strong Gaiety
Cast With Attractive Special
Features.

There is a treat in store for those
who attend the La Crosse theatre
Monday night, Oct. 21, when "The
Monte Carlo Girls" Big Burlesque ap-
pears. The company numbering 25
people (mostly girls) is one of the
best that has ever appeared at La
Crosse, brimful of comical situations,
good singing and high class vaude-
ville specialties, among whom we
will mention a few: Truheart, Dil-
lon and Burke, singing and dancing
specialty Lew Golden, known as
"The Hebrew Chant," a Hebrew com-

Alice Dillon.



Vina Harte.



Eva Sullivan.



Each Have Feature Parts with Monte
Carlo Girls' Company, La Crosse
Theatre, Monday, Oct. 21.

edian whose parodies and funny
sayings are the funniest ever: Dolly
Glass, singing soubrette, petite and
dainty; Will Kelly, who can whistle
some and then some; Sullivan and
Burns, two young ladies who will
treat you to a surprise. Many other
take part in the entertainment and
help keep you laughing and enter-
tained.

BADGER TEACHERS

MEET AT EAU CLAIRE

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Oct. 18.—
Over 100 members of the North-
western Wisconsin Teachers' association
were welcomed to Eau Claire this
morning at the Grand Opera house,
where the meetings are to be held.
An address of welcome was made
by City Superintendent Schulz. The
response was by Principal Schofield
of Neillsville.

STAGING OF WAR SCENES DIFFICULT

BATTLES ON THE STAGE ARE
WELL REPRESENTED

FIGHT IN THE "ROUND-UP"

Said to Excel in Effectiveness the
Famous Scene in the Prince
of India.

Battle scenes have long been a fruit-
ful expedient of the dramatist, and
they have always proved attractive to
audiences. This was true in the old
Elizabethan days, when the tragedies
of the playwrights were filled with
fighting, and even the mighty Shake-
speare used war as a theme. His his-
torical plays and several of the semi-
historical plays are filled with battles.

The dramatist of today is no less
ready to avail himself of this sure ap-
peal to the patriotism of his hearers, so
we have battle scenes which have all
the semblance of reality, the advance
in stagecraft enabling the producer to
counterfeit warfare with much fidel-
ity to actual conflict. In Edmund Day's
melodrama, "The Roundup," there is
an example of mimetic battle which
has not been surpassed in intensity
and thrill. The conflict is between a
body of Indians bent on massacre and
bloodshed and a troop of United States
cavalry sent to rescue two men who
are wandering in the great desert of
Arizona.

The realism of this scene dwarfs the
struggle between Christian and Mus-
salm in "The Prince of India," one
of the most remarkable battle scenes
ever presented.

All war plays do not involve scenes
of carnage, but the grim spirit of bat-
tle is felt, if it is not seen. In "Secret
Service" the tension of the situation—
the occasional shot, the mystery of the
telegraph—made amends for the ab-
sence of actual war, and in "Field by
the Enemy" Gillette held attention and
captured hearts without the trappings
of battle.

The dramatist devises the big effect
usually in a battle scene, and the



SCENE FROM A TYPICAL STAGE BATTLE.

stage director looks after details. And
it frequently happens that an incident
of the stage director's manufacture
lives longer in the memory than the
sweep of battle and the final outcome
of the scene. Thus in the Litt produc-
tion of "Shenandoah" one episode in
the battle scene has made an impres-
sion which time cannot efface. The
scene shows a roadway along which
the leaderless army is retreating in a
panic. At the critical juncture Sher-
idan, mounted on a black charger, dash-
es to the front, having been hastily
summoned from Winchester, and his
superb courage turns defeat into vic-
tory. The dispirited men take heart,
and the cannon which they were drag-
ging after them is faced about, taken
up on a little hillock and set to work
with right good will. The wadding
gives out in the heat of the battle, and
the gunner strips himself of his red
annel shirt and uses it for wadding.
This incident caused more comment
during the run of "Shenandoah" than
anything else in the play. It was the
man with the red shirt that every one
wanted to see, and he was merely an
auxiliary man.

So in "A Fair Rebel," a play which
had quite a good deal of vogue some
twelve or fifteen years ago, there was
an incident which has been remem-
bered even though the plot of the play
and most of its action are forgotten. In
the battle scene it became necessary
for word to be sent back to headquar-
ters, and a hastily rigged telegraph
instrument is set to work. The line-
man climbed to the top of the pole, cut
the wires and made the connection in
order that the danger in which the
body of the army was placed might be
recorded in the general's tent. Just as
the man concluded his labors and the
keys began to tick, showing that com-
munication had been effected, a bullet
struck the brave worker, and he fell
headlong from his lofty perch. The
incident was extremely effective and
always caused a shudder to run
through the audience.

Boarder—You can divide a chick-
en with mathematical accuracy, Mrs.
Hastings.
Mrs. Washington—Dividing it is
easy enough. I wish I could multi-
ply it.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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Scene—First Act, "Under Southern Skies," La Crosse Theatre, Next Tuesday



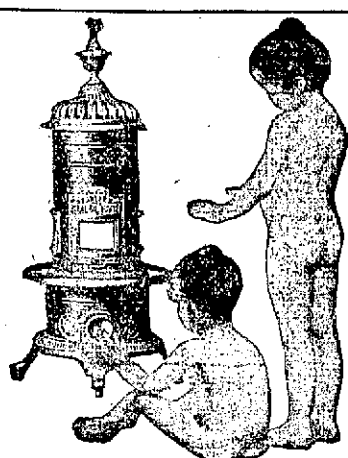
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SOCIETY

The pleasant weather of the week has rather barred out indoor entertainments. Country rides, picnics and auto trips having taken their place. A few of the clubs have been reorganized and cards and literary clubs will soon be in line. Several out-of-town guests are being entertained at small and informal functions. Church people have been busily engaged with their various rummage sales. There are a few more still to be heard from before the windup.

PASS RESOLUTIONS

The D. A. R. passed the following resolutions for the late Mrs. Angus Cameron:

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to call home the founder and first regent of our Chapter, Mary Baker Cameron, be it

Resolved, That we, as a chapter, express our appreciation of her unfailing interest and earnest endeavors to sustain the work of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Resolved, That we extend to her

bereaved family our deepest sympathy in the loss of one whose gracious presence and kindly tact will ever be a precious memory to all who knew her.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family and to the local papers and spread upon the minutes of the chapter.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARIES.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Adolph Caudrian entertained twenty-six of her friends in honor of her birthday. The guests enjoyed a social afternoon. A pleasant musical program was given by Miss Irma Caudrian.

Yesterday afternoon John Brindley, Jr., had a few of his friends in to supper to celebrate his fifth birthday. The guests were Ellen Hankerson, Harriet Scofield, Lucile Houtmaker, Burton James, Don Gordon and Wallace and Theodore Montague.

CHURCH SOCIETIES.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church will meet at the church parlors Thursday at 3 p. m. Mesdames Burke, J. A. L. Bradfield and Asplin will entertain. The Epworth league of the First

Methodist church will give a reception Friday evening, Oct. 26, to the students of the business colleges to which not only they but all the young people are cordially invited. Program and refreshments. No charge.

The Ladies' society of the First Presbyterian church is to be entertained next Monday at 3 p. m. by Mrs. H. E. Horne and Mrs. W. G. Moss at the home of the former, 115 South Tenth street.

MRS. DOERFLINGER ENTERTAINS
Mrs. William Doerflinger pleasantly entertained a company of ladies Thursday evening at the Bob White cottage, in honor of the Misses Ruederbusch and Weber of Mayville, Wis., who have been visiting here for the past few days.

Refreshments were served and all enjoyed a delightful afternoon.

HOLD LINEN SHOWER FOR BRIDE-TO-BE.

Miss Tessie Schaller entertained a number of friends at a linen shower last evening at her home, 1311 South Fourth street, in honor of Miss Tessie Gould, who will be wedded next Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock at the St. Joseph's church to Mr. Roy Collins, a conductor on the South-eastern railroad. Rev. G. Sluyter will perform the ceremony.

Miss Gould was the recipient of a large number of beautiful and useful presents, about thirty friends being present.

The evening was spent with games and other amusements and refreshments were served.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The engagement of Miss Carolyn Hansen and Mr. William J. Hieckisch is announced. The wedding will take place in December.

PASTORS CLASS HOLD SOCIAL AT M. E. CHURCH

A delightful social was held in the parlors of the First M. E. church Tuesday evening by the members of the Pastor's class. The class was entertained by Mesdames John Gross, B. S. Steadwell, Harpell, Levi King and James Kerr. The decorations were autumnal in character, consisting of leaves and grasses and immense pumpkins. Ghost stories and instrumental music were furnished and a general social time enjoyed. The entertainment was presided over by "real ghosts." Delicious refreshments were served at 11 o'clock. There were about forty present.

COFFEES.

The Misses Melinda and Eleanor Funk entertained a few guests at a coffee yesterday afternoon. The guests of honor were Miss Ruederbusch and Miss Webber of Mayville, Wis.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

Miss Lillian Kroner entertained the Tuesday Afternoon Embroidery club this week.

Mrs. C. E. Winslow entertained the Wednesday Afternoon Five Hundred club this week. Mrs. Frank E. Smith took the head prize. Mrs. A. R.

Hunt of State street will be the next hostess.

Mrs. M. E. Mosher will entertain the Monday Afternoon Embroidery club next week.

The Eleven-five, Five Hundred club will meet next Tuesday at the residence of Mrs. Bauer.

COMING AND GOING.

Mr. C. S. Van Auker who went east to attend the funeral of his mother, returned last evening. He was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Van Dusen who will be here a month. Miss Louise Harrison will leave Monday for St. Louis, where she will be bridesmaid at the wedding of Mr. T. D. Cleague, nephew of Mrs. L. A. Harrison. She will be absent three weeks.

Mrs. Frank E. Davis has returned from Minneapolis, where she spent a week.

ROMADKA CASE COUP; HUSBAND IS LOYAL

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 19.—A sensational coup on the part of the prosecution in the case of Mrs. Evelyn Romadka became known when it was learned that two secret examinations as to her sanity, conducted by Dr. Harold N. Moyer, the alienist, resulted in assurances to the prosecution's attorney that the prisoner was mentally sound. "The woman is no more insane than anyone else," is the epitome of the report made by Dr. Moyer.

This testimony is counted upon to smash the supposed defense of insanity which it is thought will be put forward by Mrs. Romadka's counsel and for which preparations have been made.

Romance Prompted Robbery. "With the insanity theory removed from your hypothesis, what is left to account for the career of burglary and robbery to which Mrs. Romadka confessed?" was asked of Assistant State's Attorney Clifford Roe.

"Romance," said the assistant state's attorney, briefly. "Romance did it. She has that sort of a temperament. She told me so, and I confirmed it. She read about society raffishness and sleuths and that sort of thing until she tried it herself from a desire to see how it would work. Later on she encountered Jones, her colored confederate, and he taught her how to work smoothly."

Dr. Moyer said: "I will say only that I saw her on two different occasions and talked to her both times."

Romadka Seeks Reconciliation. The case took a new turn today when Mrs. Romadka in her cell at the county jail received a special-delivery letter from her husband in Milwaukee, suing for a reconciliation.

GOFF HELD FOR TRIAL IN COAL LAND CASES

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 19.—United States Court Commissioner Francis Bloodgood yesterday held for trial, under the indictment returned by the Denver United States grand jury last spring against Milwaukee officers and stockholders of the Federal Coal and Iron company and the Wisconsin Coal Mining company, Chauncey Lloyd Jones and Elias Arnold of the Federal company, and T. J. Perelles, J. M. Perelles, Guy D. Goff and Charles F. Hunter of the Wisconsin company, Henry Wehr, Walter S. Johnson, Charles E. Canright and Charles S. Carter of the Wisconsin company were discharged.

Y. W. C. A. CLASSES ARE FILLING UP

The Young Women's Christian Association Glee club will hold its first meeting at 7:45. There is no fee for this meeting and it is for young women who sing or wish to learn to sing.

Miss Lucy Hogan will lead. The other classes are filling up, with the exception of the sewing class, which must have a larger registration.

Several gifts were presented yesterday as follows: Two sofa pillows, blanket, rug, magazines and pillow case.

EAU CLAIRE MAN TENDERED RECEPTION

Peter J. Smith, assistant postmaster at Eau Claire, Wis., returned home today. Last night he was tendered a reception at the hall of the Independent Scandinavian Workmen's society hall.

Time sometimes works rapid changes. That word "affinity" which went into 1907 looking like a Lily, will emerge the complexion of soft coal.

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DOG FOLLOWS MISTRESS MONTHS

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—There is a happy girl and there is a contented dog at 235 North Clark street today. The girl is May Clark and the dog is Trixie.

A year ago last June Miss Clark, who was then living in San Francisco, was presented with a puppy only a few weeks old, which she named Trixie. She had neither father, brothers nor sisters, and she and her mother came to love the dog. When winter came they moved to Columbus, Ohio, and, of course, Trixie was taken along.

She left for Chicago in February leaving Trixie behind with friends. Yesterday in Chicago May Clark and her mother saw a big black and white dog sniffing eagerly at the door of a hardware store at which May had made some purchases the day before.

"That dog looks like Trixie," said May.

"He is marked like him," said her mother, "but he is much larger." The dog pricked up his ears whirled around and looked at them.

"As we stood there looking at him and he stood looking at us," said Mrs. Clark, "until May said in a low voice, 'Why, I believe it is Trixie,' and then he jumped on us and almost knocked May down and go. mud all over our clothes, but we didn't care a bit."

It was Trixie sure enough, lean

and dirty and ravenous, and grown to full doghood, but just as dear to May Clark as the fat little puppy that refused to stay in Columbus without her.

One of the hardest things to do is raise money when you just have to have it.
A man seldom thinks he is as bad as he is—or as good as his wife thinks he is.

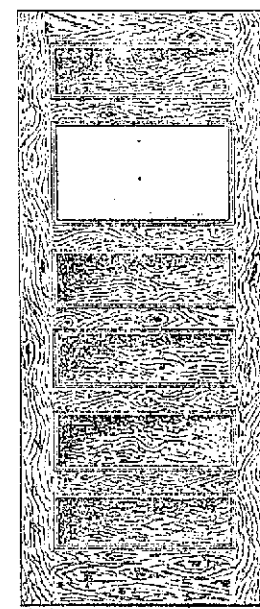
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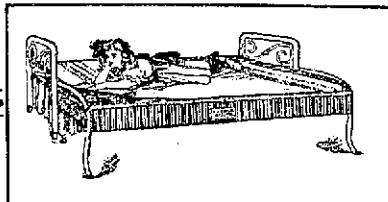
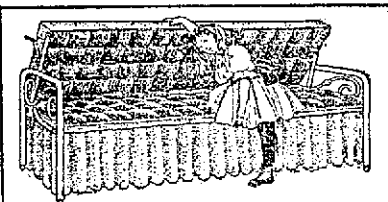
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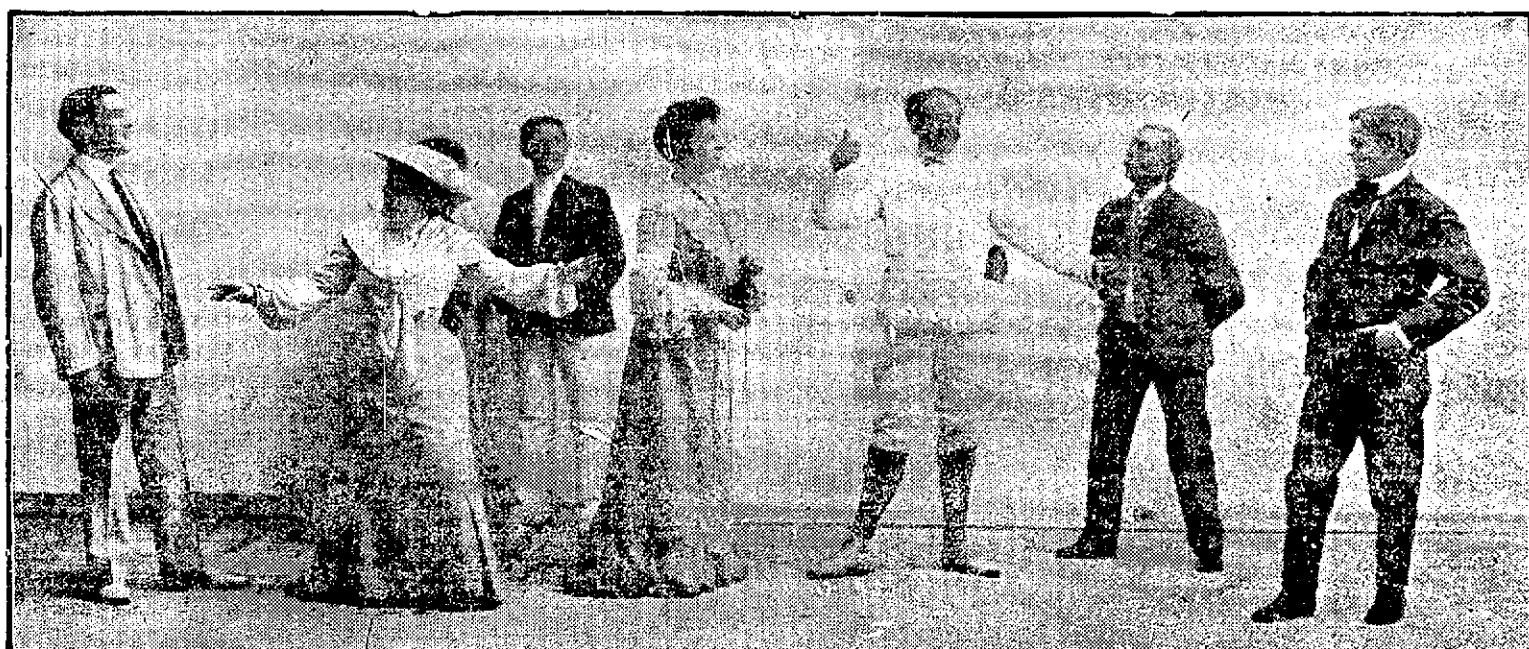
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Farmers' Congress Hears of Profitable Season in Which Profit Is Real Money

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 13.—"The year drawing to a close has been one of unusual seasonable vicissitudes," said President John M. Stahl in addressing the Farmers' congress.

"In some sections heavy crop losses have resulted from insects and unreasonable weather, yet, because of higher prices, the farmers of the United States will receive almost or quite \$1,000,000,000 more for their crop than they did last year. I can congratulate you on your great material progress for the year.

"Unlike that of the captains of high finance, stock manipulators, buyers of governing officials, our wealth is clean. Every dollar made means that much more to feed and clothe mankind; that much more for comfort and happiness.

Farmer and Almighty Being.
"Our wealth is made in close partnership with the Almighty Being. Our wealth is made in harmony with the laws of nature. Our wealth is wealth created, a gain, a wealth where that much wealth did not exist before.

Hits Subsidy and High Tariff.
"This congress has heartily condemned the ship subsidy steal, and should condemn it at this session. That steal is not dead. If we are not careful, it will yet slip through congress. But what our shipbuilders need is not alms, but justice.

"There is no need, there is no justification for a duty on borax or for such a duty on steel that a powerful trust has a monopoly of the home market and can charge our shipbuilders a half more than they charge the British.

Mckinley was right at Buffalo.
"Let us reciprocate. Let us trade the duty on borax, and some of it on steel for wider, easier markets for the products of our farms."

"But we are not to be congratulated alone on our wealth. No other class is being so thoroughly and widely educated in the broadest sense of the word; no other class has such provision for education in its special work.

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LOVE OF PET DOG COSTS MAN'S LIFE

A boyish effort to save his pet dog from being shot resulted in Joseph Johnson, aged 15, accidentally shooting and killing his brother, Oscar Johnson, aged 20, near Chaseburg.

The elder Johnson took the dog, old and shaky, into the barnyard for the purpose of ending its misery, followed by his crying smaller brother. The first shot failed to kill the animal and it ran howling under a tobacco shed. Laying down the shot-gun Oscar went to pull the dog out, where he might finish the job. Meanwhile the little brother grabbed the

gun, containing the other charge, which was to end the life of his pet, and ran screaming to the house. Julius, another older brother, and Oscar ran after him, and struggled for possession of the gun. In the tussle the other barrel was discharged, blowing off the top of Oscar Johnson's head.

Another pathetic feature of the case was the fact that the farm was sold at auction by the sheriff of Vernon county while the corpse of the young man was in the house. The mother was a widow and the three sons had fought a losing battle to keep the home. The day of the sheriff's sale was the one following the tragedy.

At the Lawyer's.
"How much do I owe you?"
"Well, I knew your father well, and I like you, my boy; so we'll call it, say, fifty marks."

"Gosh, I'm glad you didn't know my granddad, too!"

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Why Nations Decay.

"From the days of Babylon, Egypt, Persia, Greece and Rome it has been made plain that nations decay and fall or live and prosper as the few rich and strong gain or the many gather strength out of weakness and gain and hold just laws and fair conditions.

Good citizenship, as well as regard for our interests as farmers, will lead us to inquire into some of the ways and means of giving, as far as may be, each and all righteous laws, fair conditions, and full and free opportunity.

Eternal vigilance is yet the price of liberty."

Cling to the Bible.
"In our country homes are still found the simple, sweet old faith. In them the Bible is read and the highest morals are inculcated.

"Truly, in the farmers is yet to be found that training that produces the highest type of manhood and womanhood and upon which the country must rely."

More than 1,000 delegates were present.

H. D. Watson, Kearney, Neb., delivered an address on Dry Farming showing how the principles developed could be used to advantage even in regions where the rainfall usually is sufficient.

Congressman Edgar C. Ellis, Kansas City, Mo., delivered an address on Inland Waterways transportation.

Just Had to Talk.

It was a real hardship for Judge Brown to have to keep silent for any length of time. Even when traveling he usually found some one who would at least listen while he talked. But on one occasion he found himself in a railway coach with only one other occupant—a stiff, dignified old lady, who did not deign even to look at him when he raised his hat upon entering the coach.

The judge grew restless after they had traveled several miles. He drummed on the windows, coughed several times, then finally, in desperation, cleared his throat, and asked in stentorian tone:

"Madam, did it ever occur to you to wonder whether it had ever rained any before the time of the flood?"

The unusual question startled the old lady out of her dignified silence and the two old people were soon engaged in animated conversation.—Cleveland Leader.

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Mother—If you marry Robert, I swear that I'll never set foot in your house!

Daughter—Please put that down in writing. I'd like to give your promise to Robert for a wedding present.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

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TWO LEADING FIGURES IN NEW YORK TRACTION INQUIRY.

WILLIAM M. IVINS is the official inquisitor of the New York public service commission in the inquiry it is making into the operation of the traction companies of Greater New York. He was the Republican candidate for mayor of New York in 1905. Peter A. B. Widener of Philadelphia is a prominent member of the group of financiers concerned in the remarkable transactions described by Anthony N. Brady in his testimony before the commission.

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GET WORD FROM MAN'S RELATIVES

GEORGE NEILAND WIRES ABOUT
WINONA SUICIDE

DEAD MAN MAY BE BROTHER

Is Probably Enroute to Winona for
Body; If Not it Will be
Buried There.

The authorities who have been trying for the past two days to locate relatives of Henry Nieland, who committed suicide on a Northwestern train a short distance west of Winona on Tuesday, believe that they have located a brother of the deceased.

A telegram came to the Northwestern road asking him for information and a description of the suicide.

The telegram was from George Nieland of Verona, Wis., who said that he believed that the suicide was his brother.

Coroner Steinbach telegraphed Mr. Nieland at once giving full details concerning the suicide.

Up to a late hour Coroner Steinbach had received no reply from his message and it is believed that George Nieland is now en route to Winona to take charge of the remains of his brother.

The remains of Henry Nieland are still held by the undertaker under orders from Coroner Steinbach in hopes that relatives of the man may be found and that the remains may be turned over to them.

If no word is heard from George Nieland of Verona it is very likely that Coroner Steinbach will order the remains buried at Woodlawn cemetery.

KILLS A CONVICT IS DRIVEN INSANE

WAUSAU, Wis., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—The accidental killing of a tramp whom he was taking to jail has so preyed on the mind of Richard Beyreis, and affected his wife, that they intend to sell their farm near Milan and leave this section. The man who has turned out to be an escaped prisoner from the Medford jail, whose home is in Manitowish, was found sleeping in Beyreis' house. In taking him to jail with a neighbor, Beyreis was forced to shoot the man in self defense. The coroner's jury returned that verdict.

SUES MOTHER-IN-LAW

WATERLOO, Ia., Oct. 19.—Another chapter has been written in the Heisler will-heating case at Parkersburg. Mr. Will Heisler, who was beaten into insensibility by her husband a few days ago, has started suit against her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Heisler, charging them with alienation of affections and asking \$20,000 damages. Will Heisler is held to the grand jury under bonds of \$15,000 on a charge of assault with intent to murder. Mrs. Heisler is just recovering from two broken ribs, a fractured nose, face pounded to jelly and other injuries. She also has commenced action for divorce. She says the whole trouble was caused by interference on the part of Will Heisler's parents.

NOT IF WE KNOW IT

(Pittsburg Dispatch.)

It would be amusing, if it were not irritating, to observe the industrious manufacture of printed matter to secure the embroilment of the United States with Japan. The latest is an announcement which purports to come via St. Petersburg that Gen. Linovitch, commander of the Russian forces in Siberia, will, on the occasion of Secretary Taft's visit there, propose an alliance between the United States and Russia for the purpose of overcoming Japan.

We have heretofore noted that newspaper campaign bears all the earmarks of Russian inspiration, with probably a German backing, to embroil Japan and the United States in a conflict from which, if it were possible, both those empires would find their profit. But it may be doubted if Gen. Linovitch has expressed or entertained any such purpose. He has the reputation of being an officer of intelligence and education. He must from his position, have some knowledge of official and international propriety. He can be presumed to know that for a military commandant to propose to the war secretary of another nation an offensive alliance against a third government with which both are at peace would be a piece of brutal ill breeding that could evoke nothing but a severe rebuff. The story is probably the pure product of the war fake factory designed to inflame Japanese enmity. If there were any reality to it, it would be sufficient warning for Secretary Taft to cut Siberia out of his itinerary.

But a detail of the yarn provokes further comment. Gen. Linovitch is reported to have publicly declared: "I would rather present the whole of Siberia to the Americans that give the Japanese burial ground for a single soldier." What! Make us a present of Siberia! Not if we see him coming with it first.

His Mistake.

"He hasn't succeeded in his political ambitions."

"No; the trouble with him is that he apes the swell people."

"That's not the trouble. He might ape the swell people all he pleased if he didn't afterwards monkey with the main people."—The Catholic Standard and Times.

MAGILLS ACQUITTED ON FIRST BALLOT

TESTIMONY OF THE DAUGHTER
FREES FATHER

JURY BELIEVES THE LETTERS

First Wife Was a Suicide, According
to Verdict—Prison Yawned Until
Girl Took Witness Stand

DECATUR, Ill., Oct. 19.—Banker Fred Magill of Clinton and his bride, the former Miss Faye Graham, were acquitted last night of the charge of murdering Magill's first wife, Pet Magill, who died last May. The jury was out only a few minutes and one ballot decided the case.

It was the testimony of Marguerite Magill, the 19-year-old daughter of Fred and Pet Magill, that saved her father and step-mother. The jury believed also that the letters introduced as having been left by Pet Magill were not forgeries and that Mrs. Magill committed suicide.

Woman Died May 31.
On May 31 of this year Mrs. Magill was found dead at her home in Clinton, and it was supposed that she had committed suicide.

The circumstances surrounding the case were of a strange nature, but the authorities paid no attention to it until news came to Clinton that Fred Magill and Faye Graham had been married in Denver, and this was but little over four weeks after his wife's death.

When word was received of the marriage on July 5 an investigation was started by the Clinton authorities, and the result was that Magill and his bride were arrested in San Diego, Cal., on July 13 and brought to Clinton and indicted by the grand jury. The charge was first degree murder. The investigation, it is said, showed that Mrs. Magill had been poisoned by chloroform.

Letters Left by Suicide.

When brought back to Clinton, Magill brought forth letters which he claimed had been written by his wife before her death, in which she lauded him to the skies as the best of husbands, and in the final letters, which he claimed were written just before her death, she spoke in glowing terms of Faye Graham, and even went so far as to advise him to marry Faye.

In contradiction to the statements of Magill, the friends of the dead woman declared that she was of a cheerful disposition, and a woman extremely unlikely to kill herself. On the night before her death she had been riding with her husband, and appeared cheerful. It was Magill who found her dead body next morning, when he said he had found the notes pinned to her nightdress. These notes the prosecution tried to prove forgeries.

A REAL PRESS AGENT STORY

The stories of actresses losing their diamonds, jewelry, gold watches, etc., have become so common that newspaper men are inclined to look with suspicion on those varied tales, but there is one, in the vernacular, of the police reporter, that is "on the level." Miss Gertrude Quinlan closed her engagement with "The College Widow" at St. Louis. She had been living in one of the well-known hotels in that city. While she slept Miss Quinlan was relieved of a purse containing \$300. She made complaint to the hotel management and the house detective was put on the job without success. Miss Quinlan promptly put in a claim for damages and left for New York to take an important role in Mr. Henry W. Savage's latest comic opera, "Tom Jones," and awaited developments. A few days later she received word that the hotel refused to entertain claim for damages unless she could describe the bills, giving the denomination and number of each. Miss Quinlan says she will try to worry along without the \$300.

BUILDING COMPLETED

ALBERT LEA, Minn., Oct. 19.—The new addition to Albert Lea college is soon to be completed and then the crowded condition of the college buildings can be somewhat relieved, as the new part will provide room for several of the students as well as the department of music and harmony. The principal, Miss Mary L. Marquis, has been called to Pittsburgh on account of the probably fatal illness of her sister, and the work in the college is somewhat delayed in consequence, but she is expected in a few days, after which arrangements will be made for the formal dedication of the new building.

It is easy to get into crooked ways when you test all things by the dollar sign.

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To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbago, backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia pains, to write to her for a home treatment which has repeatedly cured all of these tortures. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers FREE. You cure yourself at home as thousands will testify—no change of climate being necessary. This simple discovery banishes uric acid from the blood, loosens the stiffened joints, purifies the blood, and brightens the eyes, giving elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the above interests you, for proof address, Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, Notre Dame, Ind.

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DEPUTY MARSHAL ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

WATERLOO, Ia., Oct. 19.—The trial of Deputy Marshal Charles D. Baumgardner of Vinton for the murder of Frank Finley while endeavoring to effect his arrest, is occupying the attention of Benton county and vicinity. The town is evenly divided as to the outcome and feeling is intense.

Baumgardner was acting in his official capacity on the night of July 4, 1907, and about midnight was called to quell a disturbance in a gambling joint conducted by Frank Finley. The officer was handled very roughly, knocked down, kicked and beaten, and was deprived of his club.

Fearing for his life he drew his revolver and fired. The bullet struck Frank Finley, piercing his silk handkerchief sixteen times and carrying a portion of it into the wound. Blood poisoning developed and he died of tetanus a week later.

DES MOINES, Ia.—Gen. M. H. Byers of this city is quite generally favored for the position of brigadier general of the Iowa guards, made necessary by the Dick bill. He was formerly adjutant general.

MOORHEAD, Minn.—Building operations at Dilworth have now begun in earnest. John Swanson of Wisconsin is erecting a large hotel and a contract for twenty-one houses has been let. The town well is about completed, with a bountiful supply of excellent water.

"U" FACULTY TO ATTEND SESSION

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Nine members of the faculty of the University of Wisconsin representing eight different departments of instruction, will take part in the program of the State Teachers' association, in convention at Milwaukee, Nov. 7-9.

Prof. Frederick J. Turner of the American history department will have an address on "Essentials in American History," and Prof. Edward A. Ross, head of the sociology department, will speak on "Education and Society." Prof. E. C. Elliott, in charge of the work in education, will lead discussion in the supervisory section, and H. K. Bassett of the same department will discuss the preparation of teachers for secondary schools.

A paper on "New Chemistry Can be Made of Value in the Secondary Schools" will be read by Prof. Louis Kahlenberg, and the discussion in the science department will be led by Prof. S. J. Holmes, zoologist. Rosister G. Cole, the new head of the school of music, will give an address on "The Place of Music in Education." Prof. E. B. Skinner, mathematics department, will lead discussion in the mathematics section. Caroline L. Hunt, head of the home economics department, has a paper on "The Responsibilities and Opportunities of the Teacher of Domestic Science."

The university orchestra will furnish musical programs for two sessions of the convention.



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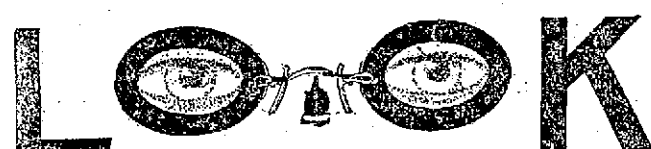
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Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drought are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburgh, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by O. T. Ehrhart's drug store, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

The Forgetful Saurian.

A colored preacher took some candidates for immersion down a river in Louisiana. Seeing some alligators in the stream, one of them objected. "Why, brother," urged the pastor, "can't you trust the Lord? He took care of Jonah, didn't He?" "Y-a-a-s," admitted the ducky, "but a whale's different. A whale's got a mem'ry, but of one o' dem gators was ter swallow dis nigger, he'd jes go to sleep dar in de sun an' forget all about me."—Junior Toilettos.



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IN INSANE ASYLUM

PROMINENT CAPT. HIRE MEETS
WITH MISFORTUNE

ALL THE LANSING NEWS

Death Claims Old Resident—Popu-
lar People Wed—City Is Finan-
cially Prosperous

LANSING, Ia., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—A story is told to the effect that Capt. Peter Hire, the well known river pilot, once a resident of Lansing, is now confined in the insane asylum at Independence, where he was taken about a year ago from Dubuque. He is completely paralyzed, his speech gone, and his mind a blank. His wife resides at Princeton, Ia. Capt. Hire was one of the best known pilots on the river and had charge of the wheel on some of the best rafts on the river, as well as passenger packets. Two seasons back he was on the excursion steamer J. S. He was known as an excellent pilot, one who was brave and fearless under difficulties, and whose knowledge of the river was such that he usually had good success in the handling of rafts and boats in his charge. The sad misfortune which has overtaken Captain Hire we are are certain, be deplored by everyone who knows him here, when they learn that his condition is utterly hopeless.

CARNIVAL ASSN.
WANTS BALL GROUND

The Carnival association are making preparations to assume control of the baseball grounds next year, feeling that the income therefrom should go to them on account of the many improvements they have put on the same. The entire receipts from games played the past year have gone to the club and this notwithstanding they are heavily in debt and have made little or no attempt to pay off this indebtedness.

LARS AUFINSON
DIES AT HIS HOME

Lars Aufinson died at his home on section 24 in Paint Creek township on Oct. 5, 1907, at the advanced age of 80 years 3 months and 6 days. He was born in Göl, Hollingdal, Norway, March 6, 1827, and left the seashored shores of the Scandinavian peninsula in 1870, landing at Lansing, Ia., in July of the same year, his family being comprised of wife and four children. The residue of his purse when he arrived at his destination with his care in a strange and foreign land was not in the least inviting, it being "six cents." With a brawny arm the heritage of the ancient viking race, and the aid of his helpmate and little ones he gradually became the owner of piece after piece of Paint Creek's and Taylor's virgin soil, until he had at the end of a long and strenuous life acquired 190 acres of unencumbered land. Deceased was a man of quiet habits, peaceable and unassuming. Learning on his staff he walked to the house of God alone while powerful horses and those of younger blood remained idle at home. The immediate cause of death was apoplexy. Six sons and one daughter with the widow survive a kind and indulgent consort and parent. Pastor Grenlid conducted the funeral services on the 7th, when the weary form of the aged pilgrim was laid to rest in the cemetery of the old East Paint Creek church. A long funeral procession of friends and sympathizers followed the hearse from his rural home to his last and peaceful home in the "silent city."

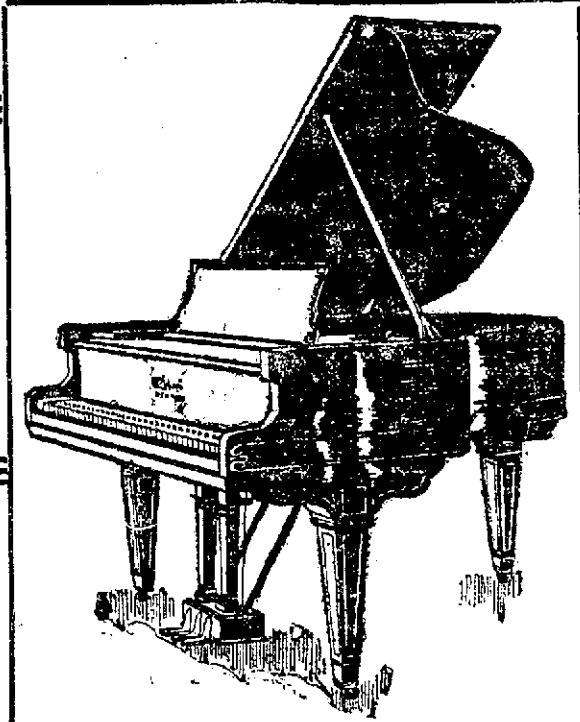
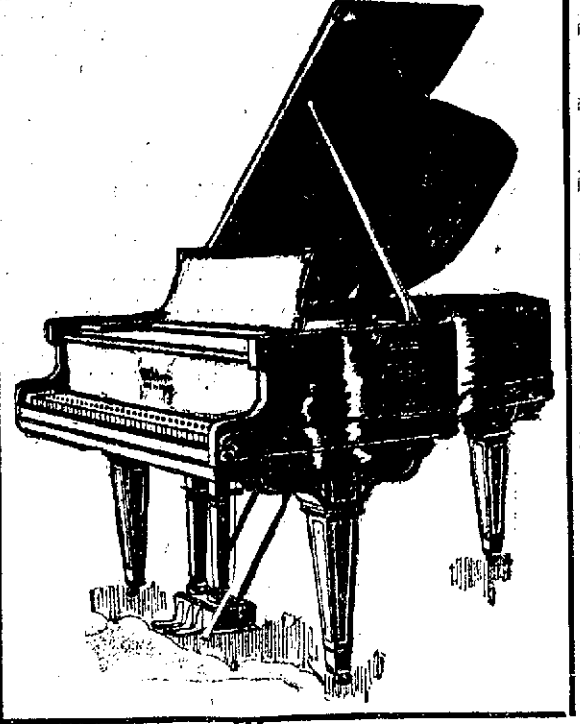
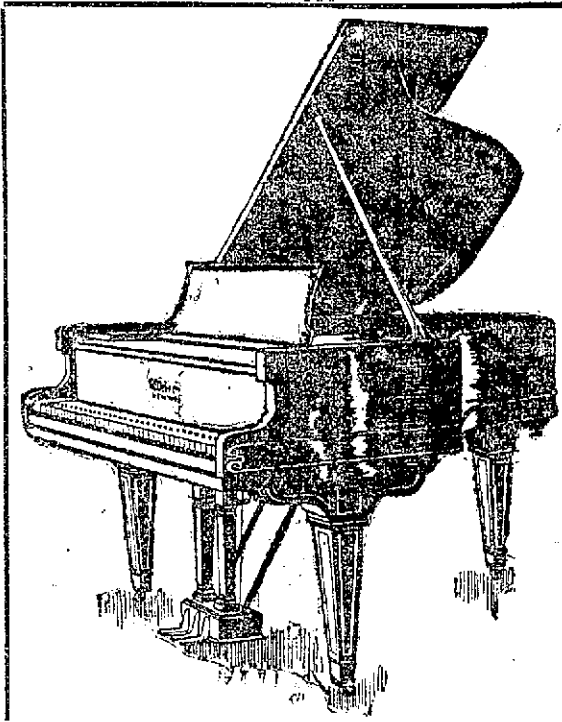
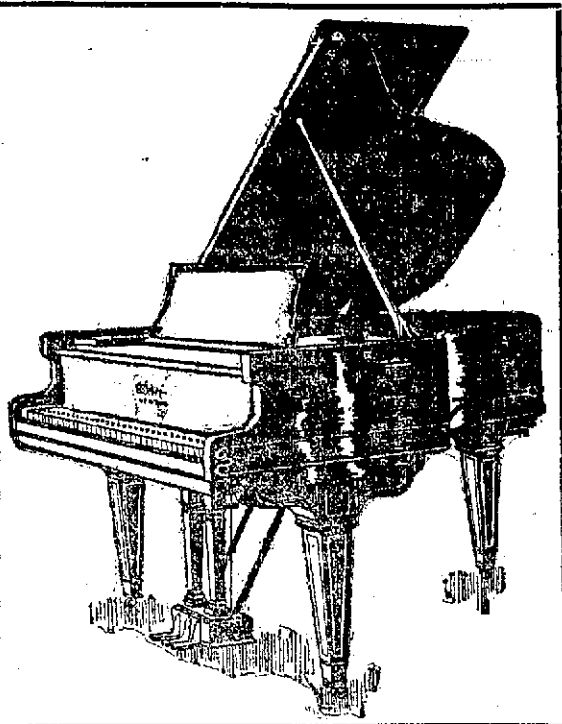
CITY HAS SURPLUS

The monthly report of City Treasurer Chas. Kerudt shows the following funds on hand:

In general fund	\$56.17
Health fund	76.88
Water bond fund	71.15
Sewer fund	243.95
Water works fund	134.40
Total on hand, all funds	\$1,344.55

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When a person has used coffee for a number of years and gradually declined in health, it is time the coffee should be left off in order to see whether or not that has been the cause of the trouble.
A lady in Huntsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years had had severe stomach trouble. "I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed to give relief. Was prostrated for some time, and came near dying. When I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured on my stomach."
"I finally concluded that coffee was the cause of my troubles and stopped using it. I tried tea in its place and then milk but neither agreed with me; then I commenced using Postum, had it properly made and it was very pleasing to the taste."
"I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia."
"I have found the cause of my troubles and a way to get rid of them. You can depend upon it I appreciate Postum." "Then a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville" in page.

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CEMETERY REPORT.

A report of the Oak Hill Cemetery association is as follows:

Mowing grass	\$148.50
Trimming & removing trees	18.00
Gravel	5.55
Lumber for new foundation under summer house	22.85
Carpenter work	14.75
Nails, paint and oil	11.58
Painting	11.48
Drayage	7.75
Repairs to lawn mowers	1.40
Stationary and postage	1.70
Total	\$239.01

GELO-MOLLERMAN NUPTIALS.

At the German Presbyterian parsonage Tuesday, occurred the marriage of Arnold Mollerman and Miss Elizabeth Gelo. The groom is the son of John Mollerman, while the bride is a young lady highly respected in her home community, Center township. They boarded the train here Tuesday morning for a trip to Wisconsin points. Upon their return they will go to housekeeping on the John Mollerman farm in this township.

BRIEF AND PERSONAL.

Trayer's orchestra played for a dance at Waukon Friday evening. George Trayer and Lorraine Margard returned the first of the week from Chicago, where they went to view the tall buildings and such. There's trouble brewing already, and that, too, before the domino and card party season has had sufficient time to acquire a decent start. At a recent party the club went all to pieces, as it were, just because one of the members produced a score card with fourteen games to her credit when only thirteen had been played. E. Thompson has a new delivery wagon, one of the finest in town. Neurologia has a majority of our people in its grasp. Mrs. McGovern and daughter are thinking of removing to Clinton. Michael and James Colman, farmer residents of the Iowa River district, now located at Des Moines and Fondra, were here Thursday on their way home after visiting at New Albin. A new cement walk is being laid at the depot, the work being done

by the railway company. Dr. Thorntson has spent the week in Chicago.

County Surveyor Miner was here on business the first of the week. Dr. Nachwey is again confined to his home.

Chas. Stewart had a finger badly smashed and another broken recently while operating a threshing outfit on the John Johnson place.

R. Hufschmidt, president of the Lansing Business Men's association, appointed the following delegates to the 6th annual meeting of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association to be held at Moline on the 22-23: Jno. Dunlevy, Capt. Harry Short, H. J. Metcalf. And the mayor's appointments were: Robt. Hufschmidt, Theo. Nachwey, A. M. Fellows.

Mrs. R. G. Miller of Village Creek entertained a number of Lansing ladies Tuesday afternoon as follows: Meedames B. F. Thomas, W. H. Ray, A. M. Fellows, Harry Nielander, G. W. Metcalf, and Miss M. Hemenway. Some of the ladies present were members of the P. E. O.

COURT CLOSES
AT CALEDONIA

CALEDONIA, Minn., Oct. 19. — (Special.)—District court adjourned Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock after a session lasting four days.

The jury in the case of Louise Neu vs. Gustav Litzau and Louis Heim brought in a verdict late Thursday evening awarding the plaintiff one dollar damages against the defendant Litzau. This carries the costs with it, which will come quite high. The Brownsville saloonkeepers, John H. Smith, George Rippe and Gottlieb Yahn were arraigned and interposed a demurrer to the indictment charging them with keeping open on Sunday. The demurrer was overruled and they entered a plea of not guilty. Their cases will go over to the next term, they furnishing each a \$500 bond for their appearance at that time.

The action of Matilda J. McCan et al. vs. Julius Hanke was continued as was also that of T. M. Abbotts vs. Josephine Schmitt and husband. The partition suit of John N. Schmitt vs. Margarette Pope et al. was heard and findings ordered. Mathew Marmach was appointed referee in the matter.

The suit of Bernard Weiser vs. Gus Boldt, not to be tried before Oct. 22, was not reached and will go over the term.

MCGREGOR NEWS

Walter Davis has been entertaining friends. The dance in Sullivan's opera house was well attended and everybody enjoyed themselves. Frank E. Long presented the Persian Princess, the Little Homestead, and the Minister's Son. Mrs. James Edwards departed for Des Moines, and Robert Quigley also left. Mrs. Robert Quigley is visiting her daughters at Osceola, Misses Georgia and Lola. Will Brown of Waukon was a McGregor caller Monday. Mr. Smith of Caledonia was calling on J. K. Gray Sunday. Mrs. Charlie Sawwell of Savanna, Ill., and children have been visiting Jake Phillips and family. The McGregor High school baseball team went to Sacred Heart college Sunday. It was a very interest-

ing game. Kramer of McGregor struck out 19 men. The score was 7 to 6 in favor of the college.

The supper given in the Odd Fellows' Hall by the basket ball team was well attended.

Rev. V. E. Hall is attending conference at Cedar Falls.

The Elkader High school football team met Decorah Saturday and defeated them by the score of 10 to 0. Miss Marie Ruegnitz was visiting over Sunday with her mother, returning Monday to Elkader.

Mrs. Charles and family of Mason City was visiting her sisters, Mrs. G. A. Anderson and Mrs. J. K. Gray.

C. T. Puck is a Chicago visitor this week.

William Allen of Garnaville was a caller one day last week.

Miss Lillie Nelson of Prairie du Chien was visiting Mrs. George Cox.

Mrs. L. C. Farnum was a La Crosse caller Thursday.

Mrs. Shad returned to Monona after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Walter Ind.

Jake Scott arrived Wednesday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. G. S. C. Scott.

Delos Jacobs and wife are with Mrs. Jacob's mother at Osceola.

Miss Leona Fette entertained the Bachelor girls Thursday evening.

A. Horning has been a business caller at Osceola.

G. A. Anderson and sons returned from the Dakotas last night.

J. D. Bickel has been a business caller at Chicago the past week.

James Allen visited over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. James Allen.

Mrs. Frank O. Bloane is visiting relatives in La Crosse.

Ex-Senator Baylis, formerly of Elkader, who is now located at Dubuque, is calling on old friends.

Wm. Morgan and brother of National are looking for land in Colorado.

Mrs. Gehl of St. Paul is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Herman Kossack. Mrs. Beyers of Guttenberg was visiting Tuesday with Mrs. Mill Evans.

Ed from Des Moines, where they were visiting their daughter.

Mrs. Frank Larrabee and daughter Rachel have returned from an extended visit in the east.

Mrs. C. M. Hunting of Vancouver is calling on friends and relatives.

Mrs. E. Hoxie has returned from a visit at Omaha.

Edwin Douglas of Postville is visiting his son George and sister Mrs. H. C. Noble.

Miss Margaret Bull of Prairie du Chien is employed in Horning's art store.

Miss Carol Peterson spent Sunday in Calmar.

Mrs. Liebenstein of Watson was a McGregor caller last week.

Hon. J. O. Crosby of Garnaville was a McGregor caller last week.

Mrs. Thomas Williams is visiting in Elkader.

Joe Jerich of Milwaukee has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jerich.

Lou Kramer and family are expected home from Charleston, N. D., where they have spent the summer.

Mr. Stearns of Mason City, Ia., and Miss Schillings of Pittsburg, Pa., have been the guests of Miss McCollough.

Wm. Fox and wife and Mrs. Orville Wilder have been visiting relatives at Monona.

Mrs. Inez Cleveland of Dubuque has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Will Quigley.

Mrs. Higgins returned Monday from Pittsburg, Pa., her former home.

Charles Buck has moved back into town off the Barron farm where he has spent the summer.

Richard Cox and wife and daughter, Mrs. Albert Bergman, departed for an extended visit at Janesville, Wis.

It takes more than a gracious manner in the meeting to make up for a grouchy way in the home.

When a woman wants to overlook the faults of her husband she tells the neighbors he is broadminded.

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Elementary Studies—Arithmetic, spelling, use of English, in writing and speaking. Class fee \$5.00, 80 hours' instruction.

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WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, few weeks complete, 60 chairs constantly busy, licensed instructors, tools given, diplomas granted, wages Saturdays, positions waiting, wonderful demand for graduates. Write for catalogue. Mohr Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Boys and girls La Crosse can company.

WANTED—Men to travel. Call Saturday from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Theo Spillman, 625 South Sixth.

WANTED—Strong boy for polishing Dept. Good chance for advancement. Wisconsin Pearl Button Co.

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WANTED—Six steady boys, age 16 and over, six stair builders and ten cabinet makers. Steady employment winter and summer. Segelke & Kohlhaus Mfr. Co.

WANTED—Driver for North Side wagon. Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth.

WANTED—Messenger boys at North American Telegraph Co., 218 Main street.

WANTED—Teamsters. Gateway City Transfer Line.

WANTED—Five boys, good wages, R. C. Kuhn Sash & Door Co.

WANTED—Boys at Panzerin Cigar Co., 115 South Second.

Help Wanted—Female

Be sure to say "I saw it in The Tribune."

WANTED—Girls, La Crosse Cracker & Candy Co.

WANTED—Dining room girls at the American House.

WANTED—Competent girl, small family, good wages. Apply to Mrs. J. E. Thornbury, 312 Cass.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Family of two; no children. 1602 Mississippi street.

WANTED—Girl for housework, in family of three, no washing, 221 North Fifteenth.

WANTED—Girl at 222 South Eighth street.

WANTED—Girls, Funke Candy Co., 200 North Front street.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Two modern houses, 8 and 9 rooms, with large barns; will sell cheap. Enquire 1312 California.

FOR SALE—Large coal and wood kitchen range, with reservoir. Almost new. Enquire 1601 Denton St.

FOR SALE—Several pieces of furniture. Must sell at once. Am moving my office to my home, 112 South Eleventh street. Call Dr. H. B. Lafin, Linker Building.

FOR SALE—Heating stove, base burner, 824 Market.

FOR SALE—A cook stove. Enquire 233 North Seventh, upstairs.

FOR SALE—House, lot, shop and 3 launches. Will sell cheap. Leaving city. Call 215 Fifth street.

FOR SALE—Brick machinery. Engine, boiler and everything belonging to steam brickyard. Also machinery for running hand mold yard. Second hand lumber. Formerly owned by Sherwood & Johnson. Johnson & Baker, Dresbach, Minn.

FOR SALE—The large frame house on Seventh and Vine. Also the little brick at 625 Vine. Enquire at 637 Vine.

FOR SALE—Small confectionery and tobacco business. Rent \$15 a month. Good location. F. G. Roth.

WANTS—CONTINUED.

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CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

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LOST—A pocket book containing a roll of bills. Return to 130 South Eighth and receive reward.

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Money to Loan

MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds and valuables bought. Stevens, 209 McMillan.

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LOANS made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main Street, up stairs.

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F. G. ROTH OR P. E. BENSON

STATE OF WISCONSIN.

In Probate: La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of John Van Zandt, deceased.

Letters testamentary in said matter having been this day granted to William S. Burroughs, of the city of La Crosse, in said county, and no one having required the appointment of commissioners on said estate, it is ordered that all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be examined and adjusted by this Court at a regular term thereof to be held at the Court House in the City of La Crosse in said County, on the first Tuesday being the fifth day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m.

It is further ordered, that six months from and after date hereof, and the same hereafter are allowed and limited to creditors to present their claims against said deceased, for examination and allowance.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time within which said claims may be presented, and of the time when they will be examined and adjusted, be given by publishing such notice for four weeks successively once in each week in the La Crosse Tribune, a Daily Newspaper, published in said county, the first publication to be made within fifteen days of the date of this order.

Dated at Probate Office, in the City and County of La Crosse, this eleventh day of October, A. D. 1907.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

CATCH 125 IBS.

OF NICE PIKE

Fred J. Colton and Louis Tabbot of the Central fire station, yesterday returned from a few weeks' visit at Brownsville where they have been pike fishing, with a catch of about 125 pounds.

Charles Robinson of No. 3 station took them down in his launch.

James Vrethota is still camping there, during his vacation, and will remain about three weeks.

Won the Bet.

Smith and Jones were passing down Oxford street, London, and before them strutted one of the members of a musical society, who sang as he walked along snatches from ballads and operas to his own intense satisfaction.

"I bet you a level shilling," said S. to J., "that I give that chap in front of us, who is singing, a terrific kick, which he will not resent, and instead of being annoyed will thank me."

"Perhaps you know him—he is a friend of yours," J. replied.

"I have never spoken to him, and he doesn't know me," said S.

"Right you are, then; I'll take you," said J.

S. advanced to the warbler and, watching his opportunity, dealt the singer a terrific kick. The singer turned round, maddened with passion at the unprovoked and unexpected attack. S. in no way discomfited, raised his hat politely, and with the most profound bow and with the appearance of sincere regret, said:

"Excuse me! I thought from your voice I recognized my old friend Caruso."

The compliment was too telling, and the singer, overcome with pride at the suggested comparison, replied:

"My dear sir, you are too kind."

Smith won his bet, but the joke should not be tried upon the same tenor again.—Tit-Bits.

Insurance

FIRE INSURANCE—Just the time of year to take out that tornado policy that you have been thinking about. C. S. Van Aiken, 323 Pearl street.

Found

FOUND—Ice cream at the Royal, 25 cents per quart.

Every man believes he can bring in all the prominent men in his neighborhood to testify that he is all right.

DAILY MARKETS

MARKET REMAINS STATIONARY TODAY

PRICES SAME AS THOSE GIVEN OUT YESTERDAY.

HICKORY NUTTING POPULAR

Nuts Are Ripe and Little Effort Is Required to Get Them; They Are Plenty and Good.

The local market remains stationary today.

Hickory nutting seems to be a most popular form of outing for the people of La Crosse and surrounding country just at present. The heavy frost of the past two weeks has made the nuts fall to the ground or made it so that very little effort is necessary to make them fall. For several weeks parties have been hickory nutting. The nuts are plentiful this fall and of good variety.

SATURDAY, OCT. 19, 1907.

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery, per pound 32c
Dairy, per pound 28c
Eggs, per dozen 20c
Eggs, on track, case \$5.85

Flour.

(Prices by A. Grinn & Sons.)

Patent, per barrel \$6.20

Straight, per barrel \$6.00

Mail Feed.

Shorts, per ton \$28.00

Brain, per ton \$28.00

Waste middlings, per ton \$30.00

Red dog, per ton \$31.00

Ground feed, ton \$30.00

Grain.

(Quoted by W. W. Gargill Co.)

Winter wheat 90¢/95¢

Spring wheat 80¢/81.00

Barley 85¢/85¢

Oats 45¢/50¢

Corn 60¢/65¢

Rye 70¢/75¢

Livestock.

(By Langdon-Doyl Packing Co.)

Hogs \$5.35/\$6.00

Sheep \$2.00/\$2.10

Cows \$1.50/\$2.75

Sheep \$3 to \$4

Lambus \$4 to \$5.50

Provisions.

Lard, per pound 9¢/10¢

Hams 12¢/14¢

Shoulders 10¢

Bacon 15¢/16¢

Dry beef 15¢/17¢

Quoted by A. S. Mott.

Blue Point Oysters, qt. 45¢

Green onions, 2 bunches for 10¢

Eggs, strictly fresh, dozen 25¢

Beans, dried, pound 30¢

Cranberry, per pound 33¢

Carrots, bunch 30¢

New cabbage, each 5¢

Sweet potatoes, lb. 5¢

New potatoes, per bushel 50¢

Carrots, peck 15¢

Cranberries, qt. 10¢

Wax beans, lb. 10¢

Beets, peck 20¢

Celery, dozen 30¢

Cumbers, each 10¢

Radishes, 3 bunches for 5¢

Green onions, 2 bunches for 2¢

Lettuces, 2 bunches for 2¢

Rutabagas, pk. 20¢

Limburger cheese, 10¢/15¢

Caiflower, each 10¢/15¢

Pears, doz 40¢

Green peppers, dozen 10¢

Fruits.

Pickle pears, peck 75¢

Quince, peck 75¢

Concord grapes, basket 35¢

Locust grapes, lb. 12¢/14¢

Apples, cooking, peck 30¢

Apples, eating, peck 30¢

California peaches, dozen 30¢

Oranges, dozen 50¢/60¢

Lemons, dozen 20¢/25¢

Bananas, dozen 20¢/25¢

California pears, dozen 10¢

Pound sweets, pk 75¢

FISH.

(Quoted by H. M. Steger.)

Pickrel 5¢

Pike, pound 15¢

White 15¢

Trout, pound 15¢

Salmon 15¢

Herring 4 to 5¢

Halibut 15¢

Perch 15¢

Chickens 12¢

Young chickens 15¢

Turkeys, pound 15¢

Ducks 15¢

Geese 12¢

Hay and Wood.

Hay, wild, per ton \$9/\$10

Hay, tame, per ton \$15/\$16

Straw, ton \$6.00

Bottom wood, cord \$5.00

Second growth oak 6.00

Old oak 5.50

Pine wood 5.50

Ln wood, cord \$6.00

SUICIDES DURING A CHURCH SERVICE

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 19.—With the words, "Good-bye, Eva," Edward Neil Kelly, a young workman, drew a revolver and fired a bullet through his head on the platform of the Apostolic Faith church here.

The girl he referred to was sitting in the audience within ten feet of the young man when he fired the fatal shot. Kelly died at the hospital half an hour later.

The best appreciation of any truth is its application.

CHI. MARKETS

Chicago Delivery.

WHEAT.

July 1.01 1/2 1.02 1/2 1.01 1/2 1.02 1/2

Dec. 1.01 1/2 1.04 1/2 1.01 1/2 1.04 1/2

May 1.07 1/2 1.09 1/2 1.07 1/2 1.09 1/2

CORN.

July 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2

Dec. 60 1/2 60 1/2 59 1/2 60 1/2

May 61 1/2 62 1/2 61 1/2 62 1/2

OATS.

Dec. 33 1/2 33 1/2 33 1/2 33 1/2

Nov. 33 1/2 33 1/2 33 1/2 33 1/2

PORK.

July 15.80

Minneapolis Delivery.

WHEAT.

Dec. 1.07 1/2 1.10 1.07 1/2 1.10

May 1.12 1/2 1.14 1/2 1.11 1/2 1.14 1/2

Liverpool Markets.

Wheat—closed 1/2 to 3/4 higher.

Corn—closed 1/2 to 3/4 lower.

Receipts at Chicago.

Wheat—85 cars.

Corn—325 cars.

Oats—257 cars.

Northwestern Receipts.

Today. Last year.

Minneapolis 277 383

Duluth 270 364

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs, 5c lower; 12,000.

Cattle—1,500, slow.

Sheep—3,000; steady.

FEST ATTENDANCE IS GROWING DAILY

AT PRESENT TIME

WILL BE GOOD "AD" FOR CITY

Secretary J. L. Utermoehl Is Satisfied With the Progress Being Made; Photo of Frohsinn

The 1908 Saengerfest will no doubt serve to advertise the progressiveness of La Crosse more widely than anything which has been inaugurated for this city for some time.

Singing societies from all the surrounding states and from Chicago, Milwaukee, the Twin Cities, have made arrangements for accommodations during their stay here.

The accommodation list is swelling over the thousand mark very rapidly and there will be the larger number of strangers, most of whom have trained voices, in the city, than La Crosse has seen for some time.

This morning Secretary John L. Utermoehl received word from J. J. Aue, editor of the Eau Claire Herald, and secretary of the Germania Singing society of that city, that he had provided accommodations for 30 members of his society at the Hotel Doering. Many of the members will also bring their ladies which will serve to nearly double the list of visitors.

Tomorrow afternoon Pryor will take a photograph of all the members of the Frohsinn Singing society at their hall at Fourth and Jay streets.

OPERATORS ROOM LAWYER

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 19.—George H. Imbrie, a lawyer, and a former operator, chairman of the local executive committee, is being boomed for president of the telegraphers' union. It is reported that at the Milwaukee convention he will be supported by the western delegation.

If a man can put a squalling baby to sleep he has a right to feel chesty.

NO BAN ON THE POMPADOUR HERE

HAVEN'T CONSIDERED CLOTHES YET, SAYS DOERFLINGER

REITZEL HAS NO OBJECTION

Store Girls Here Can Wear Their Hair as They Choose, so Long as It Looks All Right

La Crosse's department store girls need spend no waking nights over the ban on pompadours which seems to be sweeping the country.

Heads of the big department stores today announce they do not propose to follow the lead of the Pittsburgh and Chicago store managers and place the iron heel on pompadours or marcel waves.

In fact they have not noticed but what their girls look real well in those fancies of fashion and do not propose that they shall be forced into the milk-maid part-in-the-middle style for a minute.

Since the announcement a few days ago that the heads of Chicago's big stores had begun a war on the coiffure that reaches high above the wearer's head, or completely covers alabaster brows, La Crosse girls have trembled. They feared their employers would adopt similar tactics. They even were ready to rebel at a crusade against a popular method of hair dressing.

William Doerflinger of the Doerflinger store said today that he had not got along to the consideration of clothes for his girl employees yet. "Some of the big stores in Chicago," said Mr. Doerflinger, "prescribe what clothes shall be worn, and put the ban on finery and jewelry, but we are not quite so far advanced yet. Marshall Field and even the Fair stores insist that their girls shall dress entirely in black with no adornments, permitting only a white shirtwaist in the summer."

"Well, well," smiled A. P. Reitzel, when queried by the interviewer as to what fate was to befall the pompadours in his establishment. "I am sure

Child's Mittens

Children's double knit black yarn mittens, slightly imperfect, values 10c, Monday in the Glove department specially priced at the pair only **5c**

Ladies' Mittens

Ladies' double Mitten, knit of fast black yarn, slightly imperfect in the knit, big 15c values, Monday specially priced at the pair only **5c**

Nothing That Is Not Good

Everything That Is Good

Tafetta Ribbon

Pure silk tafetta ribbon, 3 to 4 inches wide, in all the leading colors, also black and white, Monday only, priced at the yard **10c**

New Wash Laces

A lot of Torchon and Platt Val Laces in new patterns up to 4 inches wide, edges and insertions, values up to 15c, Monday at the yard only **5c**

DOERFLINGER'S

NEWS GLORIOUSLY INTERESTING TO EVERY WOMAN WHO LOVES TO DRESS WELL

AN ASTOUNDING PURCHASE AND SALE OF BEAUTIFUL SILKS

Our Mr. Thornbury scored another silk scoop by making an enormous purchase of a manufacturers' surplus silk stock. The price paid was far below the actual cost of production, and it enables him to launch a sale that stands without *Peer, Precedent or Comparison for Really Amazing Value Giving*. The immensity of this purchase with the magnificent range of highly fashionable styles of highest quality and the enormity of the price reductions emphasize this sale as **THE MOST STUPENDOUS SALE OF ALL SILK SALES EVER HELD IN LA CROSSE, BARING NONE**

If Beauty, Quality and Price Count for Anything, There Will Be An Early Morning Rustle in Our Great Silk Section on the Main Floor

Sale Starts Monday Morning and Continues the Entire Week—Be Alive to Your Opportunity

Black Taffeta Silk

500 yards of a fine quality black Taffeta Silk, 27 inches wide, Chiffon, high lustre, beautiful finish, a quality that sells regularly at \$1.00, well worth \$1.25, while the lot lasts, Monday and all week, priced at the yard only **69c**

36 Inch

Black Taffeta Silk

1000 yards of an excellent quality 36 inch black Taffeta Silk in both the drill and Chiffon finish, regularly sold at \$1.25 and \$1.50 the yard. This special purchase enables us to reduce the price for Monday and balance of week at per yard only **89c**

LOT ONE

75c and 89c Fancy Silks 49c

This lot is made up of about 1000 yards of the season's choicest silks, including JAP-SILKS. 27 inches wide in all the leading colors, best quality, worth 60c and 65c. Colored Taffeta, 19 inches wide, all the most desirable plain colors, worth 65c and 75c. Plaid Taffeta, 19 and 20 inches wide, in all the new large and small effects, usually sold at 75c and 89c. Every yard of silk in the lot is desirable and new. Never before in the history of silk selling have the choicest silks like these been offered at such a small price. While the lot lasts your choice at the low price, per yard **49c**

LOT TWO

Silks worth not less \$1 59c

Over 2,000 yards of the choicest silks of the richest designs in plaids, stripes and plain colors.

TAFFETAS

LOUISINES

PEA DE CYGNES

A great variety in this lot, in fact almost anything that a woman might want for dresses, waists or petticoats. Really the choicest assortment we ever displayed in this store. Not a yard in the lot is worth regularly less than \$1.00. Having bought them at the extreme underprice we are able to offer them at the unapproachable low price, choice at the yard **59c**

LOT THREE

Rich Silks worth 1.50 69c

Full 2,000 yards of new Fall Novelty plaid silks in every new and imaginable color and combination. Plaid silks are now more stylish than ever before for dress, waists, trappings, etc. Hundreds of yards French Novelty, Clan Tartan satin barred stripe effects and much color light and dark effects in Taffeta and Louisine weaves, 20 to 27 inches wide. Also a lot of plain and crinkled crepe du Chêne in plain colors and printed designs. Apure silk and of high quality. Values in the lot worth up to \$1.50, your choice while the lot lasts at the low price, per yard **69c**

LOT FOUR

\$1.25, \$1.50 Choice Silk 79c

A magnificent assortment of newest plaids, checks and stripes in Taffeta and Louisine weaves with a heavy rich lustrous finish, light and dark coloring in the very newest combinations. Hair line stripes, checks and broken plaids. Charming silks most suitable for waists and dresses. We purchased about 1500 yards of these high quality silks. Not a yard would sell in a regular way for less than \$1.25 and most are worth \$1.50. Only for the reason of this great purchase would the opportunity to buy such splendid silks at such a little price be offered. Monday and while the lot lasts, choice at the yard only **79c**

LOT FIVE

Silk Velvet worth 1.50 89c

A choice collection of new Silk Velvet in every desirable weave and wanted color, suitable for costumes, coats and suits. A heavy quality closely woven, rich soft and silky. The velvets are so extremely fashionable and here is an opportunity for you to save one-third and more. Values up to \$1.50, choice at the yard only **89c**

SATIN LINING

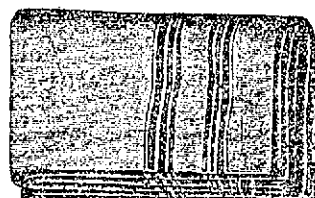
Heidling's Satin Lining, full 36 inches wide, soft liberty finish, guaranteed to wear two seasons. All the new fall light and dark colors, also white, ivory and cream, regularly worth \$1.25, for this sale we reduce the price of this lining at the yard only **89c**

You'll Find Every Yard of Silk Displayed on the Bargain Counters and Exactly as Advertised Here

HELP YOUR FAVORITE ORGANIZATION WIN A CASH PRIZE IN OUR \$1,000.00 IN GOLD VOTING CONTEST NOW ON EVERY 10c PURCHASE COUNTS ONE VOTE—EVERY DEPARTMENT BRISTLES WITH EXCEPTIONAL OFFERS IN BRIGHT NEW FALL AND WINTER MERCHANDISE

Time to supply your Bedding needs

\$1.00 COTTON BLANKETS...89c
Full size soft cotton fleece double bed blankets, in grey and white, fancy colored borders. Well worth \$1.00; Monday priced at the pair only **89c**



"Silver Fleece" 10-4 size, 50x72 in., sanitary, gray heavy fleecing on both sides, priced at per pair **65c**
Gray Fleece 11-4 size, 64x80 in., heavy wool fleecing, finished on both sides, 6 in. border, all colors, pair **98c**
"Velvet Fleece" 12-4 size, 72x80 in., striped border in all colors, stitched edge, specially priced, at per pair **\$1.25**
"Heavy Fleece" 11-4 size, 64x76 in., gray and white mottled effect, heavily fleeced on both sides, per pair **\$1.49**

"Military Gray" 12-4 size, 74x80 in., woolly appearance, real heavy 12 in. border, stitched edge, per pair **\$1.75**
All wool fast color, 10-4 size, 60x80 inches, black border, overstitched edge, priced at per pair **\$3.95**
All wool fast color, 11-4 size, 72x84 inches, 5 lb. warp and filling pure wool, crocheted edge, priced at per pair **\$4.95**
Very soft pure wool white blankets, extra size, fancy colored borders, special values, at per pair **\$2.95**

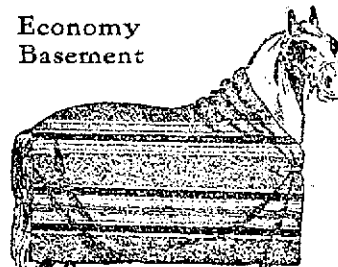
Comforters up to \$10 Economy Basement

Calico covered Quilts, extra well made, sanitary wool filling, size 55x72 inches, priced each at only **49c**
Cretonne covered Quilts with trucker red lining, extra well made, size 60x74 in., priced specially at **69c**
Figured Persian Calico covered Quilts, extra well made, sanitary wool filling, size 62x74 in., good value, at **75c**

Extra good weight comforters covered with calico in choice patterns, sanitary filling, medium size, good value **98c**
Comforters covered with choice pattern silkoline and large figure cretonne, either yarn knotted or sewed **\$1.25**
Japanese figured Silkoline covered Comforters, heavy weight, extra good size, yarn knotted, at only **\$1.49**

STORM BLANKETS...\$1.08
A good quality heavy duck storm blanket, 30x80 in. full size. Well made and lined, priced at **\$1.98**
WOOL BLANKETS...\$1.25
Square Wool Blankets, 78x80 in., fancy color border, well bound edges, leather straps, specially priced at **\$1.25**
Stable Blankets up from **.98c**
Plush Lap Robes from **\$1.98**

Horse Blankets



Monday's Pure Grocery Offerings Insure Big Savings

Sugar—Best granulated cane, priced for Monday at 10 pounds **50c**
Coffee—Regal blend, regular 25c value the pound; Monday priced at 5 pounds for **\$1.00**
Tea—Sundried Japan tea, Regularly worth .48c the pounds, Monday specially priced at 1 1/2 pounds for **50c**
Pepper—Pure black ground pepper, specially priced for Monday at the pound **21c**

Corn Meal—Strictly fresh yellow corn meal, priced for Monday at 10 pound bag for **21c**
Flour—Strictly fresh Graham flour, priced for Monday at 10 pound bag for **19c**
Butterine—Swift's Jersey Butterine, priced for Monday, 17c the pound, or 5 pounds for **80c**
Tobacco—Miller's No. 213 brand smoking tobacco, Monday 1-2 pound package priced at **5c**

Peas—Park brand new early June peas, priced at the can 10c, or 6 cans for **55c**
Corn—Regal brand new standard pack, priced at the can 9c, or 6 cans for **45c**
Peas—Wisconsin sweet wrinkled sifted peas, priced at the can 15c, or 6 cans for **75c**
Tomatoes—New 1907 pack tomatoes, priced for Monday at the can only **10c**

Jam—S. C. C. brand, high grade fruit jam, 16 oz. jars priced for Monday at the jar **15c**
Jams—Home brand pure fruit and sugar jam, 16 oz. jars priced for Monday at the jar **25c**
Mustard—Monsieur brand prepared mustard, 26 oz. jars specially priced for Monday at **11c**
Citron—New candied citron specially priced for Monday at the pound **25c**

\$3.50 WOMEN'S SHOES \$1.98

A lot of ladies' lace shoes in a variety of good styles, Vici Kid, Blucher cut, light and heavy soles, Box Calf and Enamel, Velour, formerly selling at \$2.00 up to \$3.50. Monday your choice of the lot at the pair only **\$1.98**



Coal Hods

15 inch japanned Coal Hods—heavy wire handle, special values at each only **23c**



Roasters—Extra well made of smooth sheet steel, 5x12 inches, 85 cent value, priced at each **23c**

Preserve Kettles

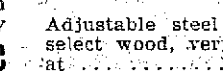
6 and 8 quart grey enamel Preserve Kettles, values worth to 50c, day at **25c**

Stove Pipe Dampers

Each at **7c**

Stove Pipe 9c

Extra well made of blued sheet steel, 6 in. size, very special at per length **9c**



KRAUT CUTTERS 10c
Adjustable steel blade, made of select wood, very special at **10c**

The Best Suit Values in all LaCrosse

The best at the price no matter what the price. The happy combination, Economy and Elegance is always attained in our Ready to Wear Dept. Second Floor. As a suggestion we mention these offerings.

A new Prince Chap suit, elegantly tailored of fancy strip suiting in brown, red or blue. Plaided skirt trimmed with bands. An exceedingly strong value, priced at only **\$17.50**

A charming Velvet suit in brown, green and blue Poney jacket style. Jacket and skirt trimmed with silk braid. Elegantly tailored. Well worth \$28, priced at only **\$22.50**

New Tailored Suits made of imported chiffon finish, Broadcloth and mannish mixtures. New half length models semi fitting and tight fitting. Remarkable values at **\$25**

A handsome model Tailored Suit made of extra fine quality Broadcloth in black, Poney Jacket, Copenhagen blue, trimming on skirt and jacket. Well worth \$40, priced at **\$35**



Great Values SCHOOL SUITS in Boys'

One lot of suits that formerly sold at \$3.25 up to \$4.25 in Russian, Eton and Blouse styles and all the popular fabrics, ages 8 to 10 years. Plain jacket and pants and Norfolk styles, ages 7 to 16 years, Monday the lot goes on sale. Your choice at the suit, only **\$2.98**

Another lot made up of the finest kind of suits in Russian Eton and Sailor Blouse, ages 4 to 10 years. Norfolk styles, also plain jacket suits with plain or bloomer pants. Values formerly sold at \$4.25 up to \$5.50, Monday, choice of the lot at the suit, only **\$3.98**



Our Royal Gem priced at \$21.98 (without reservoir) is a bargain without parallel. It is made of the strongest and best kind of steel and iron, and although priced very low, is constructed with extreme care and attention to detail and workmanship which is given in the highest grade and highest priced ranges. An equal grade in a Steel range could not be bought from any dealer for less than \$25.00. The Royal Gem is well worth more. We have priced them at **\$21.98**